THE WEATHER.
Fair and somewhat colder to-day and Monday. Moderate westerly winds diminishing.
Sun rises—7:01 a. m.; sets—4:55 p. m.
Moon rises—10:17 p. m.
High tide—2:45 a. m.; 3:00 p. m.

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BOSTON GIRL IS SECRET BRIDE IN PARIS

Daughter of David H. Coolidge Married to Ray Atherton, Also of This City.

ASK PARDON AND GET IT

Romantic Climax to Pretty Courtship Unites Two of Well-Known Families.

By VANCE THOMPSON.

Special Cable to the American.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—David H. Coolidge, the landscape architect of Boston, has found it impossible to put a time lock on an affection born in the artistic atmosphere of the Latin quarter, for his daughter Constance Crowinshield Coolidge, has presented him with a son-in-law when he thought he had insured himself against such an emergency.

Mr. Coolidge and his daughter, who is just eighteen, have been in Europe for two years, where she has been studying languages. While in Paris she met Ray Atherton, son of Mrs. George Atherton of No. 197 Beacon street, Boston, whose sister is Mrs. John Lawrence.

Atherton was considered the beau of beaux at the arts school, where he was studying architecture. It was a case of love at first sight, but when he went to ask permission from Papa Coolidge the latter assumed a stern parental attitude, insisting that the sweethearts wait a year during which time he would take his daughter to America.

The eternity of a year, however, seemed too great for Atherton. While Mr. Coolidge and his daughter were touring Germany, Atherton gave the required three weeks' notice for a marriage license, and, although Mr. Coolidge and his daughter did not arrive in Paris until Tuesday morning, it was only a little after noon that day when he presented himself and his bride before the astonished father and asked for parental blessing. Now all is forgiven.

Mr. Coolidge will sail for America in a few days, and the couple are honeymooning at the Hotel Castiglione.

The Athertons are connected by marriage with the Lawrences. Miss Emma Atherton, sister of Ray Atherton, married "Jack" Lawrence, son of Amory A. Lawrence and nephew of Bishop Lawrence. The Coolidges are connected by marriage with some of Boston's oldest families.

Miss Constance C. Coolidge went abroad with her father a year ago to study music and French in Paris. She is only eighteen years old and was a pupil at Miss Master's school at Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., previous to her departure for Europe.

Her grandmother, Mrs. Isabella Coolidge, widow of the late David H. Coolidge, said last night at the Somerset:

"I have not the slightest objection to Mr. Atherton as a son-in-law. I understand that he and Miss Coolidge were engaged for several months, but because of the youth and poor health of Constance it was not announced. She is an only child and it will be hard to part with her, but Mr. Atherton is an estimable young man.

"I received a photograph of Mr. Atherton, whom I have never met, from his mother yesterday."

David H. Coolidge is the son of the late David H. Coolidge, secretary of the class of '54, Harvard, who died two years ago. He left to his widow and son an estate worth about $650,000.

Mrs. George Atherton, mother of the bridegroom, could not be located last evening. Ray Atherton graduated from Harvard in 1905. He was prominent socially while in college and developed an aptitude for architecture. Accordingly he went to Paris and has been a student at L'Ecole des Beaux Arts for several years. He is twenty-eight years old.

FIND BODY ON ISLAND.

Unidentified Man Believed to Have Been Sailor.

NEW LONDON, Conn., Jan. 29.—The body of an unidentified man, believed to be a sailor, was found to-night on the northwest side of Plum Island. The body is that of a man six feet tall, about sixty years of age, with light blue eyes, weight 200 pounds. On the body were a dark blue coat of serge, a black overcoat of medium length, black socks, black laced shoes, a black silk four-in-hand tie, a scarfpin with the figure of a woman's head, a white cotton shirt with collar turned down, gold cuff links initialled "M." In a pocket was an open-face gold watch. The hands stopped at 12:40 o'clock. The movement of the watch is No. 408767, R. W. Company, Rockford, Illinois. The case is No. 849323. No marks of violence are on the body.

PARIS FLOOD RUIN IS APPALLING; $50,000 IS DISPATCHED BY BOSTON

A COMMITTEE of merchants and business men of Boston has been formed to collect money for the sufferers by the Paris floods. Yesterday $50,000 was cabled to Paris by the committee appointed by Governor Draper. This committee earnestly requests the people of Boston to aid in the worthy movement. Contributions, large or small, will be gratefully received. Checks or money may be sent to Henry L. Higginson, Treasurer Paris Relief Fund, No. 44 State street. **Your help is needed!**

80,000 PEOPLE ARE NEAR STARVATION

Special Cable to the American.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—The flood reached its maximum height to-day, at thirty-one feet, one inch, and has now begun to fall slowly. The river Marne is falling more quickly, registering a drop of forty-four inches.

The general situation in the city is unimproved. The water in the streets has risen slightly owing to the bursting of sewers and water mains. Eighty thousand people are starving in the city and environs.

The weather is fine and the authorities are optimistic. They believe the worst is over. A declaration of a state of siege is now unnecessary.

The waters are beginning to burst through the dam erected to protect the Parapet bridge at Quay Louvre.

American Ambassador Robert Bacon and family, who were forced to move from their residence in the Rue Francois by the flood, have taken quarters at the Hotel Mercedes, near the Arc De Triomphe. This is a mere indication of what happened to many prominent Americans.

Bacon Aiding Americans.

When seen this afternoon Mr. Bacon said:

"My small troubles are of no account in the face of the terrible disaster that has fallen upon Paris. All my thoughts are with the unhappy poor of Paris."

The ambassador's eyes were full of tears as he spoke. Indeed, when he made a speech this afternoon in the Chamber of Commerce, he broke down.

He said this afternoon that he had received cables from Americans anxious about their friends in Paris, asking him to investigate their situation and give them money if necessary. He is fulfilling all requests. As yet, he has received no appeals from the Latin Quarters, where the American students reside.

Among the Americans who moved to-day are Baroness Graffenried, formerly Mrs. Hamilton of New York, who was flooded out of her magnificent home in the Rue Elysee. She went to the highlands of Saint Germain.

Mrs. Sanford Hoffman of New York, who lived in the same quarter, was flooded out and took her family to Brussels. Mrs. Charles A. Bristol of Lenox, who is here superintending the education of her children at a convent, took them to Brussels to-day, the school being inundated.

Boston Man Isolated.

Mrs. Archibald Kennedy Mackay of New York was driven out of her apartment at No. 7 Place Palais De Bourbon and has gone to the Hotel Majestic. She visits her flooded apartment daily in a boat, hop-

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HINT NEW ARRESTS IN CONTEST OVER GLOVER WILL

Hattie Le Blanc, Held for Tragedy, to Appear in Court To-morrow.

WANT REVOLVER PRODUCED

Widow of Waltham Victim Must Face Girl Accused of Shooting.

WHEN the Clarence F. Glover will case is called before Judge Charles J. McIntire in Middlesex Probate Court to-morrow sensational developments, just discovered, are promised.

Hattie LeBlanc, the girl who is in East Cambridge ail charged with the murder of Glover, will be produced in court as a witness. She will be brought face to face with Mrs. Lillian M. Glover, widow of the slain man and chief beneficiary of the will.

If the girl testifies, it was declared last night that one or more arrests in the murder case would follow.

An effort will be made to have the revolver with which Glover was shot produced in court, and in case this is done an attempt will be made to prove who bought it, where and why. Foundations will be laid for the testimony of handwriting experts, who will be called in the will contest.

Call Widow to Court.

In short, it seemed likely, according to information made public last night for the first time, that the whole Glover murder case will be revealed in court in the contest over the rich Waltham laundry man's will.

If Mrs. Glover, as chief beneficiary of the contested will, does not appear in court she will be summoned by the contesting brothers. In that case she will be subjected to a rigid examination and this questioning of the woman who has been so much of a mystery in the remarkable tragedy will, for the first time, be in public.

Seymour Glover, the only one of the brothers named in the will, will be summoned. The contention of the disinherited Glover brothers is that the will is bogus. John J. Higgins, the District Attorney of Middlesex county, who at the same time is Hattie LeBlanc's prosecutor, was a witness of this will and he will be called upon to describe the man who signed it as testator.

Hint at Surprises.

Samuel D. Elmore, who is named as trustee in the will and who has represented Mrs. Glover since the tragedy, will also be questioned. Mrs. Freeman, the close friend of Mrs. Glover, will be another witness.

In some respects, it was declared last night, the case will be more sensational than the Russell will contest. It will be filled with dramatic incidents. Among the other features will be a rigid examination to determine why Hattie LeBlanc was concealed in the Glover home for three days after the murder.

Ever since the shooting the brothers of the slain man have had Detectives E. Leon Von Rahr and Neil Strome at work, and it was said last night that they had gathered sensational evidence which puts an entirely new aspect on the case. John J. Scott represents Albert R. Glover, the actual contestant of the will. The other brothers have heretofore attended to the criminal side of the case in an effort to discover the real slayer of Clarence F. Glover.

PROF. CARVER SEES PANIC.

High Prices Forerunner of Crash, Says Harvard Man.

That the high prices of food stuffs and the meat boycott are but the forerunners of a dire financial panic, which must come in a year or two, was the prediction made last night by Professor Thomas Nelson Carver of Harvard to a Boston American reporter. Professor Carver further said: "I will stake my reputation as an economist that in 1912 or 1913 this country will undergo one of the worst panics in its history. The supply of food stuffs in this country is becoming, gradually but surely, less than the demands of the public, and in my mind in not many years the United States will of necessity be obliged to import a large quantity of its meat and other food stuffs."

HANDS OVER $20,000,000.

Responsibility for the care of the tidy sum of twenty million dollars was removed from Collector Edwin U. Curtis, collector of the port, yesterday, when he handed the money over to his successor at the sub-treasury. He got a receipt for the funds after a count by five treasury officials from Washington was finished.

"NO MEAT" BOYCOTT ON AT MIDNIGHT; TRUST ORDERS ITS AGENTS TO SQUEEZE PUBLIC

Hunnewell—Who is Out to Get Every Cent Possible

A. T. HUNNEWELL

THIS is Hunnewell—Andrew T. Hunnewell, of the Swift Company, whose letter to the managers of Swift's branch houses has made him famous, or notorious. Hunnewell wrote to these managers:

"Do not be at all influenced by present newspaper agitation regarding trade conditions. Please do not make any talk about same whatever, but keep moving right along and sell what beef, sheep and lambs we have shipped you for EVERY CENT IT IS POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN."

Packers Deride Public's Protest, Cut Supply in Two in Boston and Prices in Down Town Markets are Up 1 to 3 Cents.

Angry Consumers at Faneuil Hall Sign Pledge to Abstain from Flesh Foods; Demand in Restaurants Continues

THE Meat boycott went into effect at midnight. All over Boston to-day, those who have promised to abstain from meat until prices become reasonable are now looking forward with more or less pleasure to a diet of fish and vegetables.

So far as can be ascertained, the packers and wholesalers are not greatly alarmed over the situation. This is evidenced by the letter sent out by A. T. Hunnewell for Swift & Co., in which he tells branch house managers to "get every possible cent" and take no notice of "newspaper agitation." Undoubtedly the Armours and Cudahys take the same attitude as the Swifts, that of disbelief that any boycott could be effective.

Little Effect on Prices.

In Boston the preparations for the boycott had little effect upon prices. As a matter of fact, beef and lamb were from one to three cents higher at the Quincy Market last night than a week ago. Restaurants and hotels report no decrease in the demand for meats and they frankly state that they expect none.

The action of the packers, who yesterday announced that they would send only half the usual allowance of beef and lamb to Boston next week will more than offset the decrease in the demand.

It is too early yet to judge how widely the boycott will be observed, but it is evident that it has not appealed to enough members of this community to be really effective in bringing about lower prices.

The wholesale dealers at the Quincy and Faneuil Hall markets declared last night that they had no expectation of any falling off in demand and there was no prospect of a decrease in prices.

Blame Suburban Dealers.

"The retailers in the suburbs are as much to blame as anybody for the meat crisis," declared a prominent wholesaler and retailer last night. "We are sellig hind quarters of lamb for 16 cents a pound retail, a cent higher than last week. In Winthrop dealers are selling the same grade of lamb for 21 cents a pound, and the same state of affairs exists everywhere. If prices are lower anywhere it is in the suburbs, where the retailers charge as much they can afford to knock off a few cents. They are certainly not lower here."

The best cuts of sirloin roast last night at Quincy Market were 25 cents a pound. They were 28 cents in the suburbs. The best cuts of rump steak were 30 cents in Quincy Market and 35 cents in the outlying districts.

Fish Men Are Hopeful.

The fish dealers are looking hopefully at the movement. There was a very large supply of fish on hand yesterday and prices were lower than for some time.

While the usual market rush was on last evening a big meeting of the "No Meat Club" was held in Faneuil Hall. The Cradle of Liberty was comfortably filled by a very enthusiastic crowd which did not hesitate to sign names to the "No Meat" pledge which was circulated. When the pledges were counted it was found that 346 names had been secured.

The speakers included James L. Cowles, secretary of the Postal Reform League. He blamed the railroads for the high price of meat and advocated his plan of a flat rate of railroad travel by which a man could ride to Worcester or to San Francisco from Boston for one dollar.

"Don't Die; Beat Coffin Trust."

John J. Gallagher, vice president of the Car Worker's Union advocated boycotting all the trusts as well as the beef trust.

"Don't eat meat, and beat the beef trust. Don't wear shoes, and cheat the leather trust. Don't wear clothes, and cheat the wool trust." Don't die, and cheat the coffin trust. He believed in doing other things to the trusts besides boycotting them.

B. D. Lewis, Harvard 1909, and son of a cattle raiser in Kansas, spoke in defence of the Western farmer. "The cattle raiser is at the mercy of the beef trust, which pays us just what it pleases for our beef on the hoof," he said. "On my own range it cost us $5,921 last year to raise seventy head of steers, and all we got from the beef trust was $6,100. We were compelled to take that or lead the cattle

GIRL PUGILISTS IN RING AT A SMOKER

Costumes So Thin and Dancer So Daring Alleged Promoter Is Arrested.

Two young women whose attire consisted chiefly of boxing gloves, engaged in a prize fight before 200 men in Roth's Hall, Orient Heights, on the night of January 20, according to the East Boston police.

It is declared that the fight took place during a smoke talk by an organization called "The Deers," the existence of which was unknown to the authorities until after the festival.

The contest took place in a twenty-four-foot ring. There were men seconds, referee and timekeeper, and the mill was as fiercely contested as a scrap between two mixed ale bruisers.

The audience howled with glee as the fight proceeded, making bets as to whether the blonde would trim the brunette or vice versa. When the fight stopped because of the complete exhaustion of the principals, another diversion was provided by the management. This consisted of a handsome young woman who entered and proceeded to moult raiment until even her royal highness, the Princess Salome, would have blushed.

And it is further alleged that there was plenty of liquid refreshment in spite of the fact that the hall had no license. The police heard rumors of the affair the next day and started for evidence. They had accumulated enough by yesterday to hale into court Albert R. Hussey of Lincoln street, Winthrop, on a charge of conducting an improper entertainment and selling liquor without a license.

Hussey pleaded not guilty and was held in $300 bail for further hearing.

"The Deers," before whom the exhibition was given, is a social organization which has hitherto existed without the knowledge of East Boston people who are acquainted with social affairs on the island. Nobody could be found yesterday who admitted that he was present at the entertainment, although the police declare that there was an audience of 200.

South Boston Fire.

A stubborn fire that took a long time to subdue did $500 damage in the stable of John Martin & Co., roofers, at No. 59 Champney street, South Boston, early to-day. Two men were asleep when the fire started, but escaped. The building was owned by Rose Martin.

BACK BAY HOME FOR MAYOR FITZGERALD

Rumor Says New Chief Executive Will Move to Commonwealth Ave.

Politicians who are close to John F. Fitzgerald and who profess to know what they're talking about say that the Mayor-elect is planning to remove the stained glass Fitzgerald coat of arms which now adorns a window of the library at No. 39 Welles avenue, Dorchester, to a new house on Commonwealth avenue, Back Bay. Arrangements for the purchase of the Back Bay home have been going on for several weeks, they say.

The present home of the Mayor-elect is one of the finest in Dorchester. It is on the crest of a hill which overlooks a wide stretch of land and water.

Both social and political reasons are said to have prompted Mr. Fitzgerald to look for a Back Bay home. His daughters are now at the beginning of their twenties, and he wants them to enjoy all that a Mayor's daughters should enjoy in the social line, it is said. "Brother Henry" S. Fitzgerald moved a few months ago from Ward 6 to a house near the Mayor-elect's. Rumor has it that he will be given the political throne in Ward 24 when his brother leaves it. What there is of a Democracy in Ward 11 lacks a leader who is friendly to Mr. Fitzgerald. The Mayor-elect, the politicians say, can be counted on to be friendly to himself, and ought to build up a strong Fitzgerald Democracy in the silk stocking district. Rumor also hath it that Nathan Matthews, one of the present leaders of the Back Bay Democracy, will not be a member of the new organization.

LAWSON HOUSE BURNS.

Dwelling of Copper Magnate's Brother at Melrose Destroyed.

Fire, discovered by a neighbor early this morning, practically destroyed the fine mansion of John Lawson, brother of Thomas W. Lawson, in Franklin street, Melrose Highlands. The loss is estimated at $10,000.

For a time consternation prevailed among the neighbors who rushed to the fire, as it was feared that Mr. Lawson was in the burning dwelling, and was doomed, for by that time entrance to the place was impossible. However, it was found that he was spending the night with his daughter, Mrs. Walter Shepard, in Henry street.

"FATHER JOHN'S CURED BABY'S COLD"
Says Samuel C. Ogden of 207 Dickinson St., Phila., praising Father John's Medicine.

BLIZZARD OF BRICKS AS BUILDING FALLS

With a roar that was heard a half mile, a newly built four-story brick dwelling collapsed at No. 23 Grove street, Roxbury, at 7.30 o'clock last night.

Julia Levy, a fifteen-year-old girl, living at No. 34 Grove street, was passing opposite when the walls came down and hundreds of bricks rained all about her. She was stunned, although marvellous to say not a brick hit her.

The exterior work of the building at No. 23, identical with one at No. 21 Grove street, had just been completed. The staging was still up, but the workmen were unable to do anything yesterday on account of the rain.

There was no warning that the structure was unsafe when the workmen quit, but suddenly last evening the entire brickwork of the front and one of the side walls toppled. They came down like an avalanche, filling the street in front of the house and even piling in the yards opposite.

A great crowd gathered in a moment, and the police reserves of the Roxbury station were called, but the wreck was so complete that there was nothing for them to do.

The building was owned by Peter R. Siegel of No. 9 Sargent street, Roxbury.

Nathan Hurwitz, a Roxbury contractor, was the builder. He did not appear after the accident, but a resident nearby said that three weeks ago, when the walls were up four feet, the work had stopped because of frost. He believes that the thaw later loosened the mortar and that the weight of the upper part of the walls on this caused the collapse. A building inspector was sent for to investigate the accident, to examine the adjacent house and to guard against any further wreckage. The loss is about $800.

Coulon Knocks Denning Out.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 29.—With mouth bleeding and eyes almost closed, Earl Denning, of Chicago, was put to sleep in the ninth round to-night at the Royal A. C., by Johnny Coulon. Denning was game, but did not have the punch.

LIBERALS TO HAVE MAJORITY OF 124

LONDON, Jan. 30.—The next Parliament will be made up as follows:

Liberals	273
Irish Nationalists	83
British Laborites	41
Unionists	273

This will give the Liberal party, with its allies, provided it stands by its home rule pledge, a majority of 124, ample to carry on the government against all tory opposition.

The Nationalists scored a triumph in holding T. M. Kettle's seat for East Tyrone. But the South Dublin seat was lost by a small margin. This, however, was held by a Tory in the last House of Commons.

The Government is, of course, dependent upon the Irish party. Redmond can dismiss it from power any day. However, no part of the United Kingdom is so profoundly concerned in destroying the peers' veto power as is Ireland, to whose reforms they have been the most relentless enemies.

The Unionists reckon that O'Brien's five or six followers, elected as Independent Nationalists will vote for the peers, but even so they are powerless to defeat the Government, even in an extreme case where the Irish party may abstain from voting. Four supposed O'Brienites have already expressed the wish to take the party pledge to follow Redmond.

Undoubtedly the attitude of the Irish party on the budget, when it is reintroduced, is a serious element of the situation. They heartily support every budget proposed except the increased whiskey tax, which hits the Irish distilleries sorely, but there is a possibility of a deal between Redmond and Lloyd George on this point that will enable the Irish party to support the budget. In any case they won't play into the hands of the Tory peers by voting against it.

Sir Charles W. Dike, Liberal, for the Forest of Dean Division of Gloucestershire, was among to-day's successful candidates.

UNRUFFLED MEAT TRUST RIDICULES BOYCOTT AND BOOSTS PRICES HIGHER

Hundreds of Citizens in Mass Meeting Agree to Abstain, but Demand Continues.

home. We get on an average seven cents a pound for our beef and between five and six cents for our pork. You pay here 17 cents for your pork and sky-high prices for your choice cuts of beef. The blame lies between the selling price of the farmer to the beef trust and the man who sells the beef to you."

Some Opposition Develops.

Isadore Phillips, food scientist, urged all to cease eating beef entirely. "The American people are eating too much," Mr. Phillips declared. "One meal a day, and that of vegetables, is the proper thing. It would conduce to better health and put the Beef Trust out of business."

George E. Rower, Jr., lawyer, declared that the remedy for the extortion of the Beef Trust rested wholly in the Government ownership of railroads and the ascendency to place of power in the nation of the Socialist party.

John L. Fitzpatrick of Cambridge argued that a boycott on meat was foolish, that the idea of a vegetable diet for the hard-working man was just as foolish, and that the remedy for existing evils rested in the substitution of public ownership of public utilities for the present system of control by monopolies. "Just so long," declared Mr. Fitzpatrick, "as you allow Standard Oil to control you, to make and unmake panics at their own sweet will, just so long will you have high prices on beef and other necessities. The remedy lies first in getting a different class of men in public office than we have been in the habit of electing."

Secretary Scharton, in closing the meeting, urged all to interest their neighbors and friends in abstinence from meat until the Beef Trust lowered prices.

TRUST EXTORTING MONEY FOR PAPER TRIMMING ON MEAT

The retail meat dealers say the trust is extorting money from them by charging for paper, ribbon and such fancy embellishments on bacon and other meats at the rate of twenty times their cost. Then the public has to pay for these at high prices even for paper.

The dealers say they do not dare to complain to the trust bosses about any of the grievances explained to them by customers. In fact, the trust is so high-handed that if a dealer gets classified by it as a "kicker" it is liable to reply to his complaints by refusing to sell him goods.

Recently a butcher in the Roxbury district protested against the extortion of money for paper and was politely told that if he attempted to make any bother for the "people down town" he would be driven out of business. So he acquiesced to the mandate and ceased to be "offensive."

"This boycott on beef will injure the small provision dealers," said a well known butcher. "The people are buying more vegetables; oatmeal and rice, also.

"REFUSE TO EAT COLD STORAGE FOOD," SAYS MAX MITCHELL

Vigorous protests against the high price of food and a call for action which shall bring the trusts to terms were made at a largely attended meeting of the Twentieth Century Club to-day. More than 150 heard President William H. P. Faunce of Brown University speak on "Vocational Training," and Max Mitchell and William R. Scharton on the meat situation.

Max Mitchell told the audience of the study which the committee of which he was chairman had made of the meat situation and of the conference with the meat dealers which led to the call to abstain from meat for two weeks at least.

"We have been trying to find out whether this state of affairs is the result of trust jugglery, too little production or over consumption of meat," he said. "We ought to unite and make a vigorous protest.

"It would be a good thing if the American people would unite and follow the custom of the Jewish people, who refuse to eat meat that is more than three days old. That would end the cold storage trouble and make it necessary to sell meat as it was killed."

Mr. Scharton, secretary of the No-Meat Club said:

"I do not want to find the cause of the present high prices; I want to find a remedy. The American people are easily imposed upon. They would eat meat a thousand years old if the trust decided they should."

Market Glutted With Fish and Vegetables as Shipments of Meats Are Cut in Two.

CO-OPERATION WEAPON IN BOSTON PLAN FOR FIGHTING MEAT TRUST

Not believing in the permanent effectiveness of the meat boycott as a price-reducing agency, several men have begun the formation of a great co-operative society which will try to supply its members with meat and other provisions on the plan of the co-operative stores of England, which have just ended a year's business of more than half a billion of dollars.

The committee consists of the Rev. Roland Sawyer, John C. Gordon, R. S. Elliott, Ralph Albertson, B. O. Flower and Robert Brown. Mr. Brown has an office at No. 2A Park street and is receiving applications and inquiries about membership at that place.

In a statement issued yesterday the new society declares that quick and practical steps to make the organization permanent, with ample working capital, will be taken. It says:

"The Government is taking action against the wholesale dealers of meat, while the principle of the boycott has been introduced by thousands who are now abstaining from animal food. Such remedies, while they may temporarily relieve or mitigate the evils, will not uproot them.

"In England about a century ago the people began to correct these abuses by instituting co-operative stores for the supply of food and other necessaries of life. From a very small beginning the business has yearly increased, until the year's business in Great Britain and Ireland amounted to $537,753,270. It may be readily supposed that the attempt of any individual or individuals in Great Britain to hold up prices or make a corner in food supplies would be promptly doomed by the power of the co-operative societies.

WOMEN WILL HELP CONGRESS IN PROBE OF TRUST EXTORTION

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Unless plans fail a general Congressional investigation of the causes for the increased cost of living, despite the opposition of the Republican leaders, when the special committee of the House District Committee to regulate the storage of food supplies in the District of Columbia meets on Monday.

All the officers of the defunct Governmental Co-operative Guild received notices to-day asking them to be present at the hearing of the committee at 10:30 o'clock Monday.

The failure of Governmental Co-operative Guild was attributed largely to the action of commercial organizations hostile to it, and it is pointed out that the officers are supplied with information of combinations of prices.

A feature of the Board of Trade investigation that is to be begun on Monday, will be the reading of account books kept by housewives during the past ten years to show how the cost of living has increased.

"Inasmuch as legislation, and not a temporary boycott of food articles is the only lasting remedy for exorbitant prices, let the women, who are the home keepers and the purchasers of food, legislate," say a number of the suffragists who comprise the organization.

MEAT BOYCOTT O. K., BUT DRINK--NEVER!

"Gentlemen, I ask you to consider! Shall we boycott meat or shall we boycott drink?"

"Meat, meat, meat, meat!" shouted a hundred men.

Which proved that Faneuel Hall wasn't the only place in Boston where a boycott was instituted against meat and not drink, for sixty enthusiastic members of the famous class of 1894 of the English High School celebrated their sixteenth annual reunion and dinner in the banquet hall, way on the top floor of the Exchange club.

Mayor-elect Fitzgerald, who was slated to talk to the boys, didn't appear, but "1894 showed some Klass," just as it was set down in the 1894 souvenir slate. Members of the class came from all parts of the country to attend the reunion.

"Jimmie" Thomas, "Harry" Shaw and "Charlie" LeBon were the invited guests and favored teachers. Professor Le Bon was prevented from attending through illness, but he sent a dream book "in seven chapters," excerpts of which Toastmaster Percy J. Borrell, read to the banqueters.

A clever sketch, "The Jollies of 1915," written by Class Secretary Ralph Menard, was presented by eight of the class arrayed as "high school girls and boys and teachers."

Nine members of the class who claimed class because they came from South Boston headed by Francis Moynihan made things sizzle with the "The Wearing of the Green."

The officers elected were Benjami Dobson, president; Solomon Lewenberg, vice-president; Richard F. Badger, second vice-president; Rolph W. Mennard, secretary-treasurer; Percy J. Burrell, pepetual toastmaster. President Thomas A. Ashley presided.

The class exchanged telegrams with the English High School class of 1892 which was banqueting at the City Club. But they didn't boycott drink.

STARVES DURING BOYCOTT.

Old Man Flynn Dies in Hospital From Lack of Food.

While the people of this country are uniting in a mighty protest against extortionate prices of meat and provisions, John Flynn, sixty-nine years old, who said he had no home, died last night in the Relief Hospital.

"Starved to death," say the doctors of the Relief Hospital.

Little is known of Flynn. It is thought that he may have a sister living in Salem, but this is not positive. Yesterday the old man went to the Wayfarers' Lodge, No. 30 Hawkins street, West End. He was so emaciated and weak that he was taken from there in an ambulance at 7:20 last night to the hospital, where he died at 10:20 from sheer lack of food.

Medical examiner George B. Magrath is going to conduct an investigation.

Penn., 33; Indians, 13.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—In a rough and tumble contest, devoid almost entirely of any scientific playing, Pennsylvania tonight defeated Glenn Warner's Carlisle Indians in basketball by the score of 33 to 13.

BOSTON AMERICAN
Household Premium Coupon

Sunday, Jan. 30.

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NOTICE—A complete set consists of 30 coupons of consecutive dates. Only one coupon of each date will be accepted in each set.

All articles delivered outside of the New England States will be sent subject to collection of duty and express charges.

HUNNEWELL IN LINE FOR SOAK 'EM CLUB

"Boost Prices, but Mum's the Word" of Swift Trust Head Sets Tongues Wagging.

"Please do not make any talk," wrote Andrew T. Hunnewell, Boston manager for the Swift & Company end of the Beef Trust, in a little confidential "boost prices" letter to branch houses.

And thereby Hunnewell "made talk" himself, louder than anybody yet in the branch houses already if they all shouted together once. To-day he ranks with the organizer of the Soak'em Trust.

Hunnewell of Chelsea will go down in history as the original comedian of the Beef Trust. He is the champion letter-writer of Chelsea—also of the Beef Trust. He is the soul of comfort for the worried small dealers in that rare commodity known as meat. He is a great mimic.

"Fix prices at all the traffic will bear," once upon a time, said a Great Railroad Magnate. "Keep moving right along and sell what beef, sheep and lambs you have shipped to you for every cent it is possible to obtain," wrote Hunnewell.

"Get Every Cent Possible."

Since Hunnewell of Chelsea took his pen in hand and gave his sub-managers the canny advice to "get every cent possible" out of the public, but "please do not make any talk about same whatsoever," Hunnewell of Chelsea has become famous, almost "the public be damned" fame.

"the public be denned" fame.

In the directory is found:

HUNNEWELL, Andrew T., clerk, 34 North Market, h. Chelsea.

No. 34 North Market is Swift & Co.'s headquarters, so this must be the same Hunnewell.

A reporter asked him:

"Are you the Swift manager?"

"I have nothing to say."

"Your name appears in the directory as a clerk."

"I am a clerk."

Fine for Hunnewell of Chelsea! He won't have to wear No. 9 hats, anyway, as long as he can be as modest as that. But modesty is inherent in Hunnewell of Chelsea. (It's a trait that fits all Beef Trust people.)

Hunnewell of Chelsea was very indignant when a reporter asked him if he wrote the famous Beef Trust C. O. D. Totally unlike Jack Binns. You couldn't drag Hunnewell into vaudeville.

Bank Director, Too.

Hunnewell of Chelsea has managed to pick up enough lucre to get a bank directorate. Also he belongs to the Review Club of Chelsea. And, also, is a director of the Frost Hospital. And, strictly following the laudable ways of ALL trust magnates, he is eminent in church circles. A trust magnate who isn't a pillar of a church is like a comet with eight tails. There may be some of them, but nobody—unless old Doctor Cook—ever saw one.

DEMOCRATS AWAIT WORD FROM BROOKS

The political situation in Cambridge is very unusual this year. There is a scarcity of candidates on the Non-Partisan side. In fact, there is not much talk either of Democratic candidates at present. The Democrats are waiting to learn what Mayor Brooks is going to do. He has not announced that he will seek another term, but he is expected to. Non-Partisans realize they will need a strong man to hope to beat him. He is an able vote getter.

If Mayor Brooks should say he is not seeking re-election, a large crop of aspirants will be produced. The Demorats believes they can win again with the present mayor as the nominee. The only man at present being discussed as another Democratic mayoralty candidate is John J. Scott, a Boston attorney and a Cambridge citizen. His boom is not formidable as yet.

The primaries take place on February 23 and the election in March.

Last Fall Alderman Oliver D. Clary said he would seek the Non-Partisan mayoralty nomination, but he soon withdraw as a candidate. Then ex-President Charles H. Lake of the Board of Alderman said he would accept the honor. Yesterday he thought better of it and withdrew. Alderman Marshall T. Blanchard thought seriously of being a candidate, but has decided it would be too much of a tax on his strength for his present state of health.

Representative Julius Meyers says he is going to seek the Non-Partisan nomination. He is the member of the General Court which wants Harvard College to pay taxes of its realty holdings.

Among those under serious consideration now are President William B. Davis of the Republican Ward and City Committee, ex-Representative George W. Long, ex-Representative Harry N. Stearns, Principal Assessor Jeremiah F. Donovan, and ex-Mayor Walter Wardwell.

Rauschenbusch Lecture.

Professor Walter Rauschenbusch of Rochester, New York will speak this evening at 7:30 at Ford Hall on "The Transition from the Present to a Co-operative Order of Society."

MRS. WHEATLAND IN NEW ROMANCE

A Grand-daughter of Rufus Choate Engaged to Marry Herman Burr.

Boston society received a surprise yesterday when the engagement was announced of Mrs. Philip Wheatland of No. 24 Chestnut street, granddaughter of Rufus Choate, and Herman Burr of No. 56 Chestnut street. Mrs. Wheatland is one of the best known young matrons and Mr. Burr one of the prominent clubmen of Back Bay. Both their families are prominent.

But neither the brilliance of the individuals nor the prominence of their families interested society so much as the recollection of Mrs. Wheatland's sad experience when the husband she married when but a girl deserted her for another woman, went to San Francisco, was arrested there and later came to a close of his career in an insane asylum.

A Shattered Romance.

Mrs. Wheatland was Miss Alice Pratt, a beautiful young debutante and one of the belles of society. Wheatland moved in Salem's best society, was a member of the Somerset Club of Boston and was considered rich. He was the son of Major George Wheatland, one of Salem's aristocrats and had an excellent brokerage business.

In 1895 his business collapsed and Wheatland went West to recuperate financially. With him was Miss Hattie Jewell, one of the most attractive young women in Salem, fond of dress and of striking personality. She was employed in a shoe shop when Wheatland met her. When his young wife discovered his attachment, she divorced him.

Wheatland entertained Miss Jewell aboard his yacht and at his Summer home at Magnolia. When he went West after the failure and his wife had divorced him he married Miss Jewell. But he did not prosper and finally was arrested on a charge of the larceny of $10 from a boarding house keeper. When his case was called in court it was discovered that he was insane and he was sent to an asylum. His father said his mind had been gradually failing for fifteen years.

Fiance a Harvard Man.

After her divorce Mrs. Wheatland came to Boston and resumed her place in society.

She is related to Mrs. Joseph M. Bell (Helen Choate), Mrs. Charles A. Prince, whose daughter was the late Mrs. J. A. Lowell Blake, and Mrs. Edward D. Brandegee. She is a sister-in-law of Mrs. J. C. R. Peabody of Danvers, who was Miss Florence Wheatland, a sister of her first husband.

Mr. Burr is a brother of I. Tucker Burr, Jr., of Melrose street, and son of Mrs. I. Tucker Burr of Newton. He is a member of the Somerset, Tennis and Racquet and Country clubs and the University Club of New York. He is a Harvard man of the class of '77.

BRIDE-ELECT HONOR GUEST AT RECEPTION

Society from Philadelphia, New York, Providence and Boston attended the reception to Miss Margaret Richardson given by Prof. William H. Pickering and Mrs. Pickering in the Harvard Observatory residence yesterday afternoon and evening.

More than 500 persons attended and the affair was considered one of the more important events of the season. The afternoon reception was from 4 until 7 o'clock, and was followed by dancing.

Friends of Miss Richardson and her fiance, William Thurston Pickering, son of Prof. William H. Pickering, and others of the social set in the cities named were in attendance.

The house was beautifully decorated with greens and cut flowers, pink roses predominating in keeping with the gown, a pink creation, worn by Miss Richardson. An orchestra played from a bower of palms and roses.

In the receiving line were Professor Pickering, Mrs. William H. Pickering, Mrs. John H. Richardson, Miss Margaret Richardson and Mr. William Thurston Pickering.

The following friends of Miss Richardson assisted: Miss Amy Thorpe, Miss Catherine Doty, Miss Dorothy Davis, Miss Elsa Brannan, Miss Elizabeth Chafee, Miss Mollie Greenough, Miss Emily Sibley, Miss Juliette Robbins, Miss Garland and Miss Tufts.

Miss Richardson is a Radcliffe girl, and a daughter of Mrs. John F. Richardson of No. 32 Linnaean street, Cambridge. Miss Richardson is a leader in the social set at the college, a junior, and vice-president of the "Idler," the social and dramatic society. She is a talented musician, studying the violin.

Because of her desire to be graduated from Radcliffe, the wedding will not take place for more than a year, according to Miss Richardson.

Mr. Pickering, her fiance, was graduated from Harvard last year and is employed in the Brown Shoe Manufacturing Company in Providence.

In Harvard he was popular, a leader in class athletics and stood high in his studies.

MUNICIPAL LEAGUE TO CONTINUE WORK

Pledges Resumption of Campaign Upon Which It Put Seven in City Council.

The Citizens Municipal League, which elected seven of the nine members of the new Council, announced yesterday its intention of remaining in existence with a permanent headquarters, and of gaining as many additions to its present membership as possible.

It is said by the men in the League that they expect its growth to be slow as they will appeal only to the very highest type of citizens. The League calls attention to its original object for being—"To promote the selection for and the election to, municipal office in the city of Boston of men of proved honesty, ability and general fitness—men fairly representative of the varied elements which constitute this great cosmopolitan centre."

The League further says:

"The League pledges itself for a constructive and progressive city government, real economy, no gift contracts, strict enforcement of the laws governing taxes, cleaner and better streets, greater attention to public health and safety and no favoritism in the consideration of all the needs of the city. That was the substance of the platform on which its seven candidates for the City Council were elected to office and the platform which will guide the efforts of the league throughout the year. Just what degree of activity the league will decide to adopt itself in the interests of the city, is a matter for the executive committee to decide."

General Booth Robbed.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—While General Booth was conducting meetings at the Opera House, Crouch End, on Sunday, burglars entered his office and stole his private bag containing several valuable articles, the loss being estimated at $150.

BOOST NEW ENGLAND, SLOGAN OF PILGRIMS

Lively "Live Ones" Make "Life" Miserable at Dinner in Ford Hall.

"Boost New England."

That's the slogan of the Pilgrim Publicity Association. If anyone who attended the dinner given by this organization in Ford Hall last night had previously any doubt as to the future porsperity of the New England States, that doubt would have been promptly dispelled by the enthusiasm which prevailed and the keynote of optimism and confidence which every speaker sounded.

The organization is composed of "live ones," men engaged in promoting the cause of advertising, and when they get together there is usually something doing.

Listen to their "Boost New England" creed:

"Resolved, that I will avoid and help others to escape from the deadening, demoralizing rut of criticism, skepticism and inertia. That I will be a booster, not a knocker. And that I will neglect no opportunity to show my faith in the future of New England and to labor unceasingly for its fulfilment."

A souvenir which afforded the members of the association considerable amusement and which was sprung as a surprise by the publicity committee of the association, was a ten page, profusely illustrated publication entitled "Making LIFE Miserable."

The affair was a burlesque reproduction of "Life," the New York weekly. It was filled with many "knocks" and "jolts" on the officers and members of the association.

President George W. Coleman, William E. Hall, Secretary Carroll J. Swan, Douglas N. Graves, Marion V. Putnam, H. B. Humphrey and John W. Barber spoke.

15 WINTER ST.

VORENBERG'S

STOCK-TAKING SALE

After stock taking we find a large amount of odds and ends which we are willing to sacrifice at a fraction of the original cost. We also call attention to our new venture,

THE 99c WINDOW

Corner of Music Hall Place and Winter St., in which a large assortment of useful and artistic things are shown at, each.......... 99c

Mail orders taken care of as usual, but we advise writing at once and sending your check or money order. No goods sent C. O. D. during this sale.

High-Grade Berry and Salad Sets

We find in taking stock a large assortment of Berry and Salad Sets, made by the best manufacturers of China. These sets were imported to sell for $5.75, $6.50 and $7.50 per set, and are beautifully decorated, in some cases with heavy raised gold. They come in the usual combination (7 pieces), and will be offered at

2.99 PER SET

We are positively sure that every set is worth almost twice as much as we are asking and, having only about 200 sets on hand, we advise an early call.

AT VORENBERG'S ALL WEEK ITEMS

Union Silk Umbrellas for ladies, 26-inch size, steel rod, paragon frame, some of the handles alone are worth $1.00. Our special price.. 1.38 Exceptional value.

Imported Hanging or Standing Gong, (like cut), with solid brass tubes, imported to sell for $2.00, while they last 99c

Bohemian Glass Cracker Jar (like cut), comes in white or green glass, with nickel top and nickel handle, imported to sell for $1.50. Our special price 59c

New Shape Leather Bag, like cut, warranted real leather (similar in shape to our famous "1913 bag," but much larger), leather lined, 10-inch frame, 9 in. deep, including your initial in brass, all complete; extra large size 1.97

Don't forget the size ! !

Trade Mark

MONDAY.

Silver Combination Set Rogers A1 Silver Plate, consisting of 12 teaspoons, one butter knife, one sugar shell and one cream ladle, choice of two very handsome patterns, for one day, per set of 15 pieces. 1.99

Gold Filled Bracelet, made of 14-karat gold filled, with hinge, that opens to fit any arm, bright and roman finish, plain design, also a few heavily chased, actually worth from $2.00 to $3.00, special......... 99c Warranted for 10 years.

MONDAY Continued

Brass Tea Kettle, like cut, well made throughout, highly polished, with new alcohol lamp, sold elsewhere for $3.50, our price 1.89

Cut Glass Water Pitcher, will hold 2 pints, in the beautiful pinwheel pattern, very clear glass, sold elsewhere for $4.00, our special price.... 1.99 Remember, water pitcher.

TUESDAY.

Cut Glass Jelly Dish, 7 inches across, brilliant cutting, new shape, worth $2.50, our price 1.69

Silver Mesh Purse, made of fine German silver, fancy oxidized top, 3 inches wide, 3 inches deep, sold usually for $1.00, our special price.......... 59c

Silver Plated Fruit Bowl, quadruple plate, 9 inches across, fancy pattern, worth $2.00. Our special price........ 1.09

Large Size China Tea Pot, holds 3 pints, in the old fashion brown color, flower decoration, usually sold for $1.00, our special price 39c

WEDNESDAY.

Imported China Chocolate Service, every piece hand painted, new shape and new decoration, usual combination chocolate pot and six cups and saucers, imported to sell for $3.50, our special price..... 1.79

Silver Table and Dessert Spoons and forks to match, Rogers A1 plate, choice of a number of desirable patterns, for one day, each .... 19c Strictly warranted.

Solid Gold Cuff Links, large size, roman and rose finish, in plain and beaded edge, also fancy designs, suitable for lady or gentleman, good weight, worth $2.50, special......... 1.19 Remember, solid gold.

Cut Glass Salt and Pepper Shakers, sterling silver top, choice of several very pretty designs and shapes, none of them worth less than 75c., our special price, each.......... 39c

THURSDAY.

Solid Gold Neck Chains for babies, with good size heart pendant to match, all hand soldered links, including gold clasp, whole combination well worth $3.00. Special 1.69

THURSDAY Continued

Cut Glass Oil or Vinegar Bottle, in the popular fan and strawberry pattern, square shape, imported to sell for $1.00. Special price.......... 59c

Silver Tea Spoons, Rogers' plate, choice of several patterns, warranted to wear for five years. Our special price, per set of 6.......... 45c

Bohemian Glass Olive Dish, pretty shape and coloring, comes in green and white, better known as Tiffany colored glass, sold elsewhere for $1.25 and $1.50. Your choice.......... 59c

FRIDAY.

Imported China Salad Set, consisting usual combination, handsomely decorated in the popular Apple blossom decoration, regularly sold at $2.50. Our special price 99c

Steel Dinner Knives, fine celluloid handles, full size steel blade, most practical table article, reduced to.......... 1.35 Per set of 6.

Silver Mesh Bag, made of the best German silver, plain gray finished top, measures 4 inches, lined with heavy white moire silk, reduced from $2.00 to 1.29

Cut Glass Violet Holder, like cut, exceptionally clear glass, entirely new design; imported to sell for $1.25. Our special price.......... 59c

SATURDAY.

Cut Glass Sugar Bowl and Cream Pitcher, large size and brilliant cutting. Reduced from $4.00 to .... 2.69 Per set of 2 pieces.

Gold Top Collar or Cuff Pins, roman or bright finish, in different designs, some plain, some fancy, worth $1. Our special price, per pair.......... 45c

Silver Fern Dish, best quadruple plate, made by Rogers, openwork pattern, measures 5 inches across and stands on four feet, reduced from $2 to.......... 1.09

Imported Beaded Bag, jet, with silver and jet, with gold; also a few fancy silk ones, in light shades with beaded trimmings; worth $2.00 and $2.50. Your Choice.......... 99c

To encourage shopping in the morning hours we offer daily between 9 and 12 o'clock—

Imported Delft China Salt Box, like cut, made with hinges and wood lid, decorated in the popular blue onion pattern, our special price 23c

American Taffeta Umbrella for ladies and gentlemen, steel rod, paragon frame, best assortment of fancy and natural wood handles; also a few Mission, guaranteed rain proof and fast color, our special price 88c

Vorenberg's Special ! !

STOMACH ILLS SOON FORGOTTEN

There is nothing more distressing and discouraging to a person than to be tortured day in and day out with some stomach complaint. It is impossible to derive any benefit from your food, and as a result you soon become run down and lose flesh very rapidly. If the foregoing describes your condition, you really ought to try Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, because it will do you a world of good. Thousands of persons have tested it during the past 56 years and the results have always been satisfactory. You can't afford to neglect this matter, for by so doing you are only inviting a more serious illness. The Bitters is excellent in cases of Poor Appetite, Belching, Bloating, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Costiveness, Biliousness, Colds, Grippe, General Weakness and Malaria, Fever and Ague. Get a bottle today from any Druggist or Dealer.

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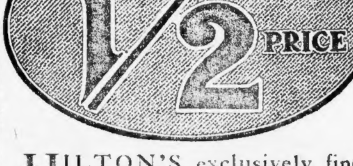

HILTON'S exclusively fine clothes are now offered at a ***full 50 per cent. discount from regular prices.***

Not a single Suit or Overcoat of the residue of our lines of Fall and Winter is exempt from this reduction—

every garment now in the store half price.

Alterations charged for during this Half-Price Sale.

$15.00 Suits & Overcoats	$7.50
$18.00 Suits & Overcoats	$9.00
$20.00 Suits & Overcoats	$10.00
$22.50 Suits & Overcoats	$11.25
$25.00 Suits & Overcoats	$12.50
$28.00 Suits & Overcoats	$14.00
$30.00 Suits & Overcoats	$15.00
$35.00 Suits & Overcoats	$17.50
$40.00 Suits & Overcoats	$20.00

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and buy the ring of the original and only Wilson Bros., who make Australian gold wedding rings in their own factory from $4 to $12; any special ring to order in 2 hours. Next to big tea kettle, 95 Court St., their only store.

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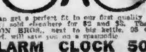
Out-of-town customers send for 1910 catalogue. Express or mail your watch and jewelry repairs.



You can get a perfect fit in our first quality lenses for $1; sold elsewhere for $2 and $3. The real WILSON BROS., next to big kettle, 95 Court. This ad. will save you on a spasmodic

ALARM CLOCK 50c

Shop at Butler's 90 TREMONT ST.

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The Long Expected Bargain Feast Has Arrived

EVERYBODY KNOWS that THIS SALE GIVES UNQUESTIONABLY

THE BEST BARGAINS OF ALL THE YEAR

BARGAINS IN

Muslin Underwear

Such as You've Never Seen

864 Sample Night Gowns, the entire line of samples of a prominent maker; every style he makes; trimmed with beautiful embroideries and fine laces; 79c, 98c, $1.49 and $1.98 are the regular values; a veritable feast of bargains; come early and get some of the best. Anniversary, choice **59c**

98c Combination Suits 59c—Odd lots of Combination Suits—corset cover and skirt—all fine goods, trimmed with fine embroidery and fine val. laces; worth 98c to $1.49. Marked down, anniversary, each **59c**

39c Short Skirts 19c—Short Skirts, material is a fine nainsook with fine cord stripes, ruffle, hemstitched edge with fine pin tucks, actually worth 39c. Anniversary, each **19c**

Corset Covers, 9c—Plain French Covers, also lace-trimmed neck, worth 15c and 19c. Anniversary, choice **9c**

25c Drawers 15c—Good quality cotton drawers, ruffle hemstitched and tucked; good 25c quality. Anniversary, each **15c**

39c Corset Covers 25c—French Corset Covers, fine Val. lace trimming, 3 rows of insertions and 3 rows of beading run with ribbon, with lace edge; worth 39c. Anniversary, each **25c**

Renaissance Scarfs and Centre Pieces

Almost 1-2 Price

17-inch Hand Made Renaissance Squares—With hand drawn linen centres, worth 50c. Anniversary **25c**

Bureau Scarfs—Three-piece linen centres, with beautiful hand made Renaissance lace, regular price $1.00. Anniversary **69c**

36-inch Renaissance Lace Centre Pieces—Round and square, with linen centres, beautiful patterns; regular price $1.50. Anniversary **89c**

30-inch Renaissance Lace Centre Pieces—Round and square linen centres, worth $1.25. Anniversary **79c**

25c Aprons 12½c

Tea or Chafing Dish Aprons, of fine cross bar material, with pocket and long strings or short straps, hemstitched ruffle, regular price 25c. Anniversary, **12½c**

Handkerchiefs

White and Colored Border Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, for women or children; regular 5c goods. Anniversary, each **2c**

Ladies' Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs, odd letters; price was 12½c each, marked down to ½ price. Anniversary, each **6¼c**

Ladies' Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, regular price 25c, all clean, fresh goods, marked down to ½ price. Anniversary, each **12½c**

UMBRELLAS

22 and 24-inch Umbrellas—Serge material, plain wood and fancy handles; regular price 59c. Anniversary, each **39c**

Ladies' 26-inch Silk Gloria Umbrellas—Mission and fancy handles, cross and cord; regular price $1.29 and $1.49. Anniversary, each **85c**

Men's 27-inch Umbrellas, of silk gloria, horn, silver trimmed and natural wood handles, case and tassel; regular price $1.50. Anniversary, each **1.10**

SMALL WARES

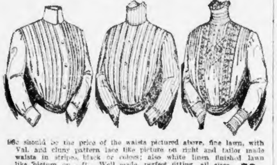
Silk Soutache Braid, black and colors; 12-yard pieces. Value 19c **9c**

Pad Satin Covered Hose Supporters. Value 25c **12½c**
25c Clasp Hose Supporters **5c**
Heavy Elastic Web Hose Supporters. Value 25c **9c**
Lightweight Dress Shields, pair **5c**
Collar Foundation. Value 10c **5c**
Collar Foundations, cord trimmed. Value 19c **9c**
Collar Supporters, 6 on card **3c**
Shoe Laces, 12 for **5c**
Snap Fasteners, 2 dozen **5c**
Clinton Safety Pins, 12 on card **3c**
Silkateen, all colors **3c**
24-yd. Roll White Cotton Tape **5c**
5 yds. Black Braid **5c**
Best Quality Taffeta Binding, black and colors **10c**
10c Hook and Eyes **5c**
2 doz. Hooks and Eyes and 1 doz. **Invisible Eyes**, on card **2c**
English Pins, 400 on paper. Value 7c **2c**

O. N. T. Spool Cotton, limited quantities **3c**

Milward's Needles. Value 5c **3c**
400 yds. Black Spool Silk **10c**
100 yds. Black and Colored Silk. Value 10c, 3 spools **10c**
200 yds. White Spool Cotton. Value 3c **1c**
All-Over Hair Nets. Value 12½c **3c**

98c Waists 50c



98c should be the price of the waists pictured above, fine lawn, with Val. and cluny pattern lace like picture on right and tailor made waists in stripes, black or colors; also white linen finished lawn like picture on left. Well made, perfect fitting, all sizes, 34 to 44. Anniversary, choice **50c**

New Wrist Bags

89c Black Wrist Bags, metal and leather covered frames. **39c**

Real leather new shape wrist bags; regular price $1.50. **75c**

Green School Bags

Lot 1, value 25c. **12½c**

Lot 2, value 29c. **19c**

GLOVES

Women's Cape Gloves, in tan, for street wear, value 79c **49c**

Women's Imported Tan Cape Gloves, for street wear, value $1.00 **59c**

Women's Light Weight Kid Gloves, all colors, value $1.00 **59c**

Women's Washable Chamois Gloves, value $1.00 **59c**

Odd Lot Repaired Kid Gloves, all sizes, all colors, value up to $1.50 **39c**

Women's 2-Clasp Fine Black Lisle Gloves, value 25c **12½c**

Women's 2-Clasp Lined Cashmere Gloves, value 29c **12½c**

Foster Lacing Kid Gloves, in black and colors, sizes 6¾, 7, 7¼, 7½, 8 only, value $1.00 **49c**

Women's Long Black Lisle Gloves, 16-button length, value 69c **19c**

Millinery Bargains

Reductions in Trimmed Hats

$15.00 and $18.00 Values, now **7.49**
$10.00 and $12.00 Values, now **4.98**
$7.00 and $9.00 Values, now **2.98**

FLOWERS

Silk and Velvet Roses. Value 98c **29c**
Velvet Dahlias. Value 87c **24c**

Hackel Breasts, all colors **5c**

We Cannot Fill Mail or C. O. D. Orders AT THESE PRICES

NECKWEAR BARGAINS At Less Than ½ Prices

25c Ties—Swiss embroidered, all white, or with colored ends, fine quality. Anniversary **12½c**

25c Collars—Laundered embroidered collars, odd lot, all sizes and all widths; former prices 25c. Anniversary **12½c**

25c Ruchings—Heavy silk cord, in white, sky pink, black and rose. Anniversary, yard **7c**

12½c Maline Bows—Of fine quality maline, in white only, a limited quantity, each **7c**

50c Box Ruching—6 neck lengths, all full silk chiffon ruching, put up in neat box. Anniversary, box **18c**

$1.00 Chemisettes 29c—Samples of imported venise and batiste lace chemisettes; yokes, dress and coat collars; 950 pieces in this lot, no more can be had when these are gone, not one of them worth less than $1.00; a big bargain at, each **29c**

Drummers' Samples—Stocks, jabots, bows, rabats and all samples of fine neckwear used as samples, all clean goods, worth up to 50c. Choice each **12½c**

Lace Stocks, made of fibre silk, in ecru only, imported goods, the new shape; original price 25c. Anniversary, each **5c**

Wash Ascot Ties, all white or fancy stripes, in colors; fresh goods that always sell for 25c. Anniversary, each, **9c**

$4.00 Marabean Scarfs $1.98—Four-strand Marabean Scarfs, in natural only. Just 10 scarfs in this lot, to close at **1.98**

Knit Underwear

Women's 50c Silky Fleeced Lined Vests and Pants **29c**

Women's Union Suits, bleached white, regular and extra sizes, high neck, long and short sleeves, knee and ankle lengths; value 50c **29c**

Swiss Ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless; value 12½c **6c**

Knit Corset Covers, high neck, long sleeves; value 29c **14c**

Children's Fleeced Lined Vests and Pants, value 25c **12½c**

Women's Lace Trimmed Knit Drawers, value 25c **12½c**

Bleached White Vests, high neck, long sleeves; value 25c **15c**

Boys' Warm Coat Sweaters, in gray, all sizes; value 59c **29c**

Men's Warm Coat Sweaters, value 59c **29c**

Men's Fleeced Lined Shirts **25c**

Medium Weight Vests and Pants, bleached white, value 29c **16c**

Extra Large Size Lace Trimmed Pants, value 39c **16c**

Men's Fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, all perfect, every one worth 50c **25c**

Men's Fine Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, regular price 25c **16c**

ANNIVERSARY SALE OF

Housekeeping Linens, Blankets, Bed Spreads, Sheets and Cases, Cottons, and Linings

THE BIGGEST BARGAINS OF THE YEAR

64-inch bleached pure linen **Irish Table Damask**; regular price 49c. For this sale, yard **39c**

66-inch, fine and heavy pure linen **Irish Table Damask**; regular price 75c. For this sale, yard **59c**

72-inch, extra quality, pure linen **Table Damask**; regular price $1.00. For this sale, yard **79c**

20-inch, pure linen, bleached **Damask Napkins**, fast selvages; regular price $1.29. For this sale, doz. **85c**

34-inch, cream white **Wool Flannel**, subject to small mill stains; value 37½c to 50c. Choice, yard **29c**

22 and 20-inch extra fine quality **Damask Napkins**, pure Irish linen; regular price $2.00. For this sale, choice, dozen **1.50**

20-inch, fine and heavy, bleached **Damask Napkins**, pure linen; regular price $1.75. For this sale, dozen **1.25**

Bleached Satin Damask pattern **Table Cloths**, pure Irish linen, 2 to 2½ yds., 5 good designs; regular price $2.75. For this sale, each **1.69**

Bleached Sheets, 2¼ by 2½ yds., made in one piece from a standard sheeting. Worth on to-day's market 69c. For this sale, each **50c**

Dress Ginghams, in a variety of staple stripes and checks, mill lengths of 10 to 20-yard pieces, always 10c. For this sale, yard **7c**

Yard wide **English Long Cloth**, put up in lengths of 10 yards, especially for Butler's.
$1.15 quality, piece **85c**
$1.50 quality, piece **1.19**

A miscellaneous lot of **Hemmed Huck Towels**, in different sizes, some a little soiled; value 12½c. Choice, each **9c**

Lot of **Hemstitched Huck Towels**; value 25c, for, each **17c**

BLANKETS AND SPREADS

Large size, heavy knotted fringe crochet **Bed Spreads**, with square or cut out corners; value $2.00. For this sale, each **1.19**

11-4 white and gray **Blankets**, warranted "all wool," subject to slight mill imperfections; the regular price of these blankets is $6.00. For this sale we shall close out at less than half price, or, pair **2.98**

Bleached Pillow Cases, 42 by 36 inches; value 12½c. For this sale, each **8½c**

40-inch **Unbleached Sheeting**; value 10c. For this sale, yard **7c**

40-inch **Bleached Sheeting or Pillow Case Cotton**, mill lengths; value 10c. For this sale, yard **7c**

Standard Shirting Prints, in light and medium grounds, mill lengths of 10 to 20 yards; value 7c. For this sale, yard **4½c**

DRESS LININGS

Yard-wide Lining Satin, in shades of gray, black, tan and white; value 75c. For this sale, yard **50c**

36-inch fast black Mercerized Italian Cloth; value 19c. For this sale, yard **12½c**

Anniversary Prices on Children's Wear

Children's Wash School Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years; handsome patterns. Value $2.00 **98c**

Children's Wash School Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years; thoroughly made. Value $1.00 **69c**

Children's White Dresses, 6 to 14 years. Value 98c **49c**

Children's Plain Colored Dresses, 2 to 6 years **50c**

Children's Handsome Lace-Trimmed White French Dresses, ribbon trimmed. Value $1.25; sizes 2 to 6 years **75c**

Children's Hubbard Dresses, white hamburg yoke and trimmed skirt, sizes 6 months to 3 years. Value 59c **39c**

Children's Hubbard Dresses, white **19c**

Babies' Fine Bishop Slips. Value 29c **19c**

About 300 Children's Dresses, slips and guimpes, white, soiled and mussed; worth up to $2.00 apiece. All **19c**

Manufacturers' Samples of Babies' Dresses, and Slips, from 25c to $5.00 apiece, at ½ the cost price.

Children's Sweaters, coat styles, assorted colors, all wool, sizes up to 12 years. Value $1.50 **98c**

Babies' Sweaters, wool, coat style, value 50c **25c**

Babies' Fine All Wool Shirts and bands, value 50c, wrapper style **25c**

Babies' Fine Wool Shirts and Bands, value 25c **12½c**

Children's Play Rompers, value 39c and 50c **12½c**

Children's Rompers, value 39c **19c**

Children's Hats and Bonnets, samples, value $1.00 **39c**

Children's Cotton Drawers, thoroughly made, sizes up to 12 years, felled seams, extra wide seat, finished button holes, value up to 25c; all sizes **11c**

HAIR GOODS *Not Poor Quality*

3 Large Cluster Puffs, value 69c **39c**
5 Large Cluster Puffs, value $1.00 **49c**
9 Large Cluster Puffs, value $1.50 **69c**
24-Inch Fine Hair Switches, value $2.50 **98c**
30-Inch Fine Hair Switches, value $4.00 **2.98**
24-Inch Long Coronet Braids, value $2.00 **98c**
Hair Covered Turbans, value 59c **39c**
Washable Hair Roll, value 29c **15c**
Wire Hair Rolls with combs attached, value 50c **19c**
Fancy Carved Barrets, value 15c **5c**

CHILDREN'S COATS

Plush, Broadcloth and Fancy Bearcloth Coats, 2 to 5 years; in white and colors. Coats worth $5.00 **1.98**

Children's Warm School Coats, lined and interlined, in plain all wool mixtures; value $3.00, 2 to 5 years **98c**

Children's School Coats, 10 to 14 years. Value $3.00 **1.98**

Children's School Coats, 10 to 12 years. Value $4.00 **2.98**

Every Coat in Stock Marked at ½ Regular Price.

TOILET GOODS

Samples Hot Water Bottles, warranted water tight, value $1.00 **43c**
Black Back Hand Mirrors, value 39c **12½c**
Keepclean Hair Brushes, value 50c **19c**
Special High-Grade Brushes, value 69c **39c**
Peroxide Talcum Powder, large cans **7c**
4-Row All Bristle Tooth Brushes **10c**
Imported Castile Soap, value 10c **5c**

HOSIERY

Our Hosiery Is Always Just a Little Bit Better.

Women's Black Cotton Hose, value 12½c **6c**

Children's All-Wool Fine Ribbed Cashmere Hose, all sizes, value 25c **12½c**

Women's Pure Silk Stockings, in black and all colors, garter tops, spliced heels and toes, very slightly imperfect, value $1.50 **59c**

Women's Black Cotton Hose, double heels and toes; value 15c **9c**

Women's Black Fashioned Hose, unbleached soles, value 25c **12½c**

Women's Fast Black Fashioned Hose, value 25c **12½c**

Women's Wool Hose, black, 25c quality **12½c**

Women's Black Silk Lisle Hose, value 50c **25c**

Children's School Hose, double heels and toes, value 12½c **6c**

Children's Heavy School Hose, black **11c**

Infants' Fine Cashmere Hose, black, value 25c **12½c**

Men's Black Cotton Hose, double soles, value 12½c **6c**

Men's Fancy Cotton and Lisle Hose, 25c quality **12½c**

Men's Fancy Black Cashmere Hose, value 35c **10c**

Men's Heavy Wool Socks, in natural and camel hair, value 25c **12½c**

Men's Heavy Cotton Socks, imported, black and tan; value 25c **12½c**

Bargains in Laces

12½c Laces—Pure linen torchon lace, all widths, with insertions to match; worth up to 12½c yard. Anniversary, yard **4c**

50c Laces—Sample pieces of val. laces, all fine quality, odd lot edges and insertions, in 12-yard pieces. Anniversary, piece **25c**

25c Corset Cover Embroideries—20 patterns, excellent designs, 25c quality. Anniversary, yard **16c**

25c Veiling 10c

25c Veilings—Of fancy mesh and dotted effects, in black and some colors, 25c values. Anniversary, yard **10c**

MERCHANTS CASH VALUE 2 MILLS STAMP

Legal Stamps

A GENUINE CASH DISCOUNT!

Every LEGAL STAMP Is Good

Double Legal Stamps Mornings

Shell Hair Ornaments *Finely Finished*

New Large Barrettes, inlaid gilt, stone set, value 25c **5c**
Large Carved Barrettes, value 39c **10c**
Best Quality Carved Barrettes, value 50c **19c**
Small Neck Combs, value 25c **9c**
Wide High Plain Back Combs, value 50c **19c**
Fancy Carved High Back Combs, value 50c **12½c**
Side Combs, value 25c **10c**
Extra Large Side Combs, value 50c **19c**
Shell Hair Pins, dozen on card **6c**
Shell Hair Pins, dozen on card **9c**
25c Sash and Belt Pins, handsome stone settings, gilt and oxidized **9c**
25c Gilt Collar Supporters, with rhinestone tops, assorted lengths **12½c**
12½c Gilt Collar Pins, 2 on card **5c**

98c PETTICOATS 50c

Black Petticoats, bright finish, good quality, mercerized cloth, flare ruffle tucked and strapped, dust ruffle, seldom sold for less than 98c. Anniversary **50c**

RIBBONS

Black Taffeta Ribbon—All silk, suitable for hair ribbon, 4½ inches wide, regular price 17c. Anniversary **12c**

Ribbon Remnants

Remnants of Satin Taffeta and taffeta ribbon, Nos. 5, 12, and 16, worth up to 15c yard. Anniversary, yard **5c**

Remnants of Taffeta—Moire and Satin taffeta ribbon, worth up to 25c yard, width up to 5 inches. Anniversary, yard **10c**

Remnants of Taffeta Moire, Satin Taffeta and Ottoman Ribbon—Widths up to 6½ inches, worth up to 50c yard. Anniversary, yard **15c**

Suit Cases at 75c Each

Matting covered leather bound, full size; value $1.69 **75c**

The Prices Tell the Story!

These Lots Must Be Closed at Once

35 **Cloth Suits**, in assorted colors; ladies' and misses' sizes, beautifully lined. Were $8.00 to $15.00 Now ... **5.00**
15 **Rain Capes.** Were $5.00. Now ... **1.98**
25 **Ladies' and Misses' Cloth Coats.** Were $8.98. Now **2.98**
59 **Silk, Voile, Panama and Broadcloth Dress Skirts.** Were $6.00 to $10.00. Extra large sizes included. Now ... **3.98**
75 **Wash Skirts.** Were $1.50 to $2.50. Now ... **50c**
14 **Soiled White Dresses.** Were $8.98 to $20.00. Now ... **5.00**
117 **Bath Robes.** Were $2.00. Now ... **79c**
329 **Long Lawn Kimonos.** Were 79c. Now ... **39c**

New Spring Suits

Sold at Cost

During This Sale

New Spring Suits 8.98

Very fine Storm Serge, new style coat and skirt, lined with good quality satin; colors in navy, brown, green, new blue and black; ladies' and misses' sizes.

8.98

New Spring Suits 13.50

The latest model Spring Suits, made in the new materials; they are fancy hard finished worsteds, all the new shades and black; ladies' and misses' sizes.

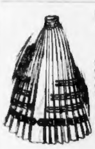
13.50

10.00 Silk and Voile Dresses 2.98

Some very pretty Silk and Voile Dresses, with waist attached or detached, some lace trimmed, others tailored with self colors, assorted colors, limited quantity. (None sent C. O. D.) (Only 57 pieces.)

2.98

New Voile Skirts 1.98



Extra full plaited skirt, trimmed with cluster narrow and one deep fold and finished with jet buttons; in black only; a very dressy and pretty model, in all sizes, including large waist bands.

1.98

10,000 Elastic Belts

2-inch All Silk Elastic Belts, in black and white; value 50c **29c**

All Silk Elastic Belts, in all colors, the buckles alone are worth 50c **19c**

Sweaters Marked Down

Heavy All Wool Shaker Hand Knit Sweaters; price was $5.50, white only. Anniversary, **3.50**

Heavy All Wool Sweaters—2 pockets, Shaker hand knit, white only, price was $4.98. Anniversary, each **3.25**

Ladies' Long All Wool Sweaters—Fine goods, price was $7.50, white and oxford. Anniversary **4.98**

Ladies' Long Coat Sweaters—Price was $6.98, white and oxford. Anniversary, each **3.49**

Ladies' Fancy Weave Coat Sweaters, fine worsted goods, price was $5.98. Anniversary, each **2.98**

FURS

Genuine Markdowns, a Big Saving on Furs Bought This Week.

16 Marten Opossum Shawl Scarfs, trimmed with tails, splendid wearing quality, worth $9.98. Anniversary, each **5.00**

9 Marten Opossum Throw Scarfs, satin lined, worth $5.00. Anniversary, each **2.97**

10 Marten Opossum Throw Scarfs, worth $4.50. Anniversary, each **2.50**

6 Brown Coney Throw Scarfs, worth $2.98. Anniversary, each **1.98**

14 River Mink Throw Scarfs, worth $5.00. Anniversary, each **2.98**

15 Marten Opossum Rug Muffs, handsome dark skins, satin lined, worth $7.00. Anniversary, each **3.39**

19 Opossum Rug Muffs, fine long fur, glossy sable and Isabella shades, a $10.00 quality. Anniversary, each **4.50**

26 River Mink Pillow Muffs, prime good wearing quality, worth $6.00. Anniversary sale **3.98**

16 River Mink Pillow Muffs, price was $5.00. Anniversary, each **2.98**

Black and Sable Coney Pillow Muffs, worth $2.98. Anniversary, each **1.49**

CORSETS Every Pair Warranted

600 Pairs Medium Length, High Grade Corsets, strong material, boned with non-rustable steels, two pair hose supporters attached, regular price 69c **39c**

400 Pairs No. 206, New Long Back Model, best material, perfect fitting, value $1.00 **49c**

300 Pairs P. N. Corsets, fine fitting style, just the right length; $1.00 value **59c**

300 Pairs Thompson Glove Fitting Corsets, real new number, thoroughly made; two pairs hose supporters attached, value $1.00 **59c**

70 Pairs "Nemo Hip Spring" Corsets; everybody knows this corset can't break down the hips; sold always at $1.50; sizes 22-24 **75c**

270 Pairs $2.00 Nemo Corsets, new long back model, lace trimmed, hose supporters attached **1.00**

200 Perfect Fitting Hose Supporters, best material, lace trimmed, value 29c **19c**

144 Pairs American Lace Corsets, real new model; a beautiful corset; value $1.00 **59c**

75 Pairs American Lady Corsets, new long back style, lace and ribbon trimmed, best quality material, regular price $2.50 **98c**

SHOE DEPT.

More styles, better shoes, lower prices, and many lots to be sold at half the cost to manufacture.

Ladies' $2.00 and $2.50 Gun Metal Calf Lace Boots, sizes 2½ to 7, only **1.19**

Ladies' $3.50 Gun Metal Calf Lace and Button Boots, at half price, only **1.75**

Ladies' $2.00 Dongola Elastic Side Juliets, only **1.19**

Misses' $1.50 Dongola Button and Lace Boots, sizes 11½ to 2, only **95c**

Misses' $2.50 Gun Metal Calf Lace and Button Boots, Goodyear welt soles, sizes 11½ to 2, only **1.45**

Children's $1.25 Box Calf Lace Boots, sizes 8½ to 11, only **79c**

Misses' $2.50 Tan and Black Storm Boots, sizes 11½ to 2, only **1.69**

Little Boys' $1.25 Satin Calf Bals, sizes 8 to 13½, only **79c**

Boys' $1.75 Satin Calf Bals, sizes 3 to 5½. About half price, only **98c**

119 Cases Ladies' 75c Storm and Croquet Rubbers. About half price, only **41c**

Many lots not advertised, at just as good values, will be found on our bargain tables.

MOST VALUABLE PREMIUM OFFER EVER MADE BY ANY NEWSPAPER SEE PAGE 3-E TODAY

NERVY GIRL HELPS POLICE TO CAPTURE BOLD BURGLAR

Slips from House and Sends a Hurry-up Call Over the 'Phone.

THROUGH the rare presence of mind and steady nerve of Miss Isabelle Trimble, twenty years old, a burglar was captured yesterday just as he was about to steal away laden with booty. A strange feature of the thing is that about a month ago the girl had been warned by a spiritualistic medium of some such thing but that fact she did not recall until after the man had been arrested.

Miss Trimble lives with her parents on the third floor of the three-family apartment house at No. 456 Massachusetts avenue, Cambridgeport. The first and third flats are occupied, the second story being vacant.

By means of false keys the burglar let himself into the house and made his way undetected to the third floor, where Miss Trimble was caring for a brother who is ill of pneumonia. A ten-year-old niece, Clara, was the only other person in the flat, as the parents were away.

Isabelle fancied she heard a noise and called out to Clara, who was in another room: "Clara, do you hear anyone in the house?" Clara was frightened on the instant and feared to make reply.

Convinced that some person was ransacking her bedroom, Miss Isabelle tip-toed to the back stairway and slipped downstairs to the street floor and then to the office of Coleman Brothers, coal dealers, next door, where she telephoned to the police.

Policeman Benjamin Higgins and Thomas P. Rowe came on the run and found a negro in a corridor. He had a ring on his finger and valuables in his pocket, and the police arrested him. He protested that his wife had given him the ring, but Miss Isabelle not only identified the ring as her own, but other articles of jewelry found in the man's pockets as belonging to her or other members of the family.

At the station house he gave his name as William M. Corner of Emerald street, Boston. He said he was twenty-eight. The Cambridge police say that they recognize him as a man with a record.

SCORES SPIRITUALISM.

Fr. Prendergast Says People Are Doubting Its Status.

"Spiritualism" was the topic of the Rev. J. M. Prendergast, S. J., before the members of the Young Men's Catholic Association in their rooms, No. 41 East Newton street, last evening.

"Followers of Spiritualism are pushing a thin thread explanation of that doctrine too far," said Father Prendergast, "and people are becoming sceptical as to its proper status in the realms of truth and righteousness. If people can play a fraud that can trick you it's the most queer of frauds. Everything done by spiritualistic mediums is done mostly in darkness.

No Station at Granard.

In reply to inquiries from Malden, there is no railroad station at Granard, County Longford, Ireland. The nearest station is some three miles distant, at Ballywilliam, on the Cavan Junction Railroad.

Brockton Schools Reopen.

BROCKTON, Jan. 29. — Four public schools which have been closed during the three-week scarlet fever epidemic here will be opened Monday.

HEROINE IN BREAK AT HER CAMBRIDGE HOME YESTERDAY

MISS ISABELLE TRIMBLE.

BELLE GUNNESS IS FOUND ALIVE AGAIN

LAPORTE, Ind., Jan. 29.—That Belle Gunness, multi-murderess, is in the custody of the officers at Wilmar, Minn., was the information telegraphed Chief of Police Cochrane of this city this afternoon. The belief of the Minnesota authorities that they have the arch fiend in custody is so strong that transportation is guaranteed for a Laporte officer to make an investigation and the chief will leave for the Minnesota town to-morrow.

While popular belief here is stronger now than at any other previous time, in view of the purported confession of Ray Lamphere, her alleged accomplice, that Mrs. Gunness went to her death in the burning of the house on the Indiana death farm, which was the scene of her many murders, many people refuse to believe her dead. The Wilmar story has served to strengthen the belief that she is alive and has been living under an alias in the Minnesota town, which is the centre of a large Norwegian and Swedish population, the nationality of the victims she lured to death.

Church Altar Dedicated.

The new altar of the Episcopal Church of St. Augustine and St. Martin in the South End will be dedicated at 10:30 o'clock this morning by Bishop Griswold of Salina, Kas. He will also preach the sermon in the Church of the Advent in the evening.

Archbishop to Speak.

Three hundred members of the Ladies Charitable Catholic Association will hear an address by Archbishop O'Connell at their headquarters, No. 1472 Washington street, this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Mrs. William McCarthy will preside.

NOTABLES IN GLARE OF COURT MARTIAL SPOTLIGHT

Navy Yard Tangle Over Picture of Pretty Girl Comes to Trial To-morrow.

BECAUSE a pretty girl in the exclusive naval set which amuses itself around the Boston Navy Yard and mingles in Boston society had only one photograph of herself, and two men wanted it, Boston to-morrow will witness the opening of one of the most unusual courts martial in the history of the United States navy.

The witnesses and the defendants are all in the city, ready for the fight to save the good names and standing of the two popular young officers involved. Miss Dorothy Hesler, the beautiful young Chicago girl whose picture caused the trouble, is here to testify for Paymaster George P. Auld, who is accused of striking Dr. Edward S. Cowles of the Back Bay at a navy yard dance; and Dr. Ainsley H. Robnett, said to be engaged to Miss Hesler and accused of writing ungentlemanly letters to Dr. Cowles because of the fracas over the photograph.

Dr. Cowles is a close relative of Rear Admiral Cowles, U. S. N., retired, who is a brother-in-law of former President Roosevelt.

Surprise for Prosecution.

A bombshell for the prosecution has been prepared by the attorneys for Auld and Robnett. The American learned last night that naval law prohibits the trial of Auld and Robnett again, because they have already been tried and convicted. Both Auld and Robnett received from Secretary Meyer letters of reprimand for their attack on Dr. Cowles, and these letters, according to the defence, make further trial of these men illegal. Here is the law in the matter:

"No officer who has been formally reprimanded for an offence shall be subsequently tried therefor, nor shall that offence again be the subject of inquiry. * * * Private reprimand, however, shall be no bar to further trial or inquiry."—Chapter 265, Naval Regulations of 1909.

Major Harry Leonard, one of the best known jurists in the navy and the judge-advocate of the now famous Sutton court of inquiry, has been engaged as chief counsel for the defence. Captain H. J. Harshinger, the best known judge-advocate in New England, and the man who was first appointed judge-advocate of the trial, will be junior counsel for Auld and Robnett.

Young Woman May be Called.

Capt. Hirshinger says Miss Hesler will be called if necessary. It all depends on the tactics of the prosecution. "The whole thing is a tempest in a tea pot," he said to an American reporter last night. "We expected it to blow over without any further action, but now that it has been brought to trial we hope to get the men off without further punishment. Of course, we cannot predict the outcome.

"The story that Miss Hesler is to be barred from the trial is not true. Everything that led up to the affair at the dance in Dr. Ames' residence is pertinent matter, though the trial may take a turn which will make it unnecessary to call Miss Hesler.

"I received a letter from Miss Hesler saying that she is ready and willing to testify at the trial. If we need her we shall summon her, though I shall not say that we already have done so."

Miss Hesler in Retirement.

In the meantime Miss Hesler is in seclusion at the home of her uncle, the Rev. Henry J. Kilbourn, of No. 9 Perkins avenue, Malden. She feels that she is the innocent cause of the fracas and is ready to tell the entire story to the court.

Miss Hesler is a girl of eighteen and of remarkable beauty, and daughter of a naval surgeon who served at the Chelsea Hospital and died in his country's service in the Philippines.

"I was the cause of the trouble," Miss Hester is quoted as saying. "But I am innocent in the affair. I came to visit my uncle in Boston last November and was introduced to a number of people in the navy set.

"At one of the dances I met Dr. Cowles. He was very attentive and nice at first. One night he and Mrs. Cowles came to uncle's house to visit. He took away one of my pictures with him. I did not know this until he was gone. I wrote him a note asking him to return it.

"I did not get an answer to my letter and I telephoned to him. When I insisted on the immediate return of the photograph he said: 'Truly, Miss Hesler, I have the picture. I have misplaced it, but when I find it I shall return it to you.'

"At the dance at the home of Dr. Ames, Dr. Cowles made a remark about the picture. I do not know what he said, but I do know that two of my father's friends were there, and they would not let anyone talk about me."

Notable Figures in Case.

Unusual interest has been glaven the case by the entry into it of many notable figures. It is openly charged at the Navy Yard that Secretary Meyer would never have re-opened the case had it not been for the pressure brought to bear by friends of the Roosevelt family. It is also charged that Senator Lodge, because of his friendship for the Roosevelts, used his influence to have the men brought again to trial.

"The retrying of these men is unprecedented in naval history," said one of the best informed men at the yard, "and mighty influence must have been brought to bear to make the Secretary of the Navy get himself tangled up in so petty an affair."

The charges against Auld and Robnett were made by Dr. Ames at the instigation of Dr. Cowles. Both will testify as will probably Mrs. Ames and many of the young women who were present at the dance.

Auld is said to be friendly with Miss Madeline Gray Swift, daughter of Admiral Swift, and it is hinted that she pleaded his cause. It also has been hinted that it was because of him that her engagement with Harry Duer Storer of Atlanta, Ga., was broken almost on her wedding day.

Auld is the son of Joseph Auld of Burlington, Vt., a prominent newspaper proprietor. The elder Auld stands ready to spend a fortune to defend his son. Yesterday he was in Washington conferring with Major Leonard, who will be senior counsel for the defence.

SCHOOL CADETS DANCE.

South Boston Battalion Gives Its Annual Ball.

High school cadet officers were out in full regalia last night at the annual dancing party of the South Boston High School Battalion. The dance was a pretty affair, uniforms, formal costume and pretty gowns being set off to advantage in the artistically decorated high school hall which was brilliant with the colors of the school, red and blue.

Captain Harold R. Wise, was in charge of the floor and his assistants were Captains Timothy J. McCarthy, Albert V. CoCgan, and Albert T. Olsen. The aides were Lieutenants Edward D. Donegan, Joseph Lynch, Daniel W. Sullivan, Jr., James E. Kindred, James C. Grant, Herbert C. Rodday, Walter N. Lyons and Daniel A. Lynch. Miss Helen G. Daves and Miss Elizabeth Casey were the maids of honor.

THOUSANDS HAVE KIDNEY TROUBLE AND DON'T KNOW IT

Weak and unhealthy kidneys are probably responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease, therefore, when through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue, serious results are sure to follow.

Your other organs may need attention, but your kidneys most, because they do most and should have attention first.

If you feel that your kidneys are the cause of your sickness or run-down condition, begin taking Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, because as soon as your kidneys begin to get better they will help all the other organs to health.

Prevalency of Kidney Disease.

Most people do not realize the alarming increase and remarkable prevalency of kidney disease. While kidney disorders are the most common diseases that prevail, they are almost the last recognized by patient or physicians, *who usually content themselves with doctoring the effects*, while the *original disease* constantly undermines the system.

The mild and immediate effect of Swamp-Root, the great kidney, liver and bladder remedy, is soon realized. It stands the highest for its remarkable results in the most distressing cases.

Symptoms of Kidney Trouble.

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98c White Waists 59c

White Lawn—Some handsome tailored waists and others richly trimmed with hamburg embroidery; also black Madras; several styles. Sizes 34 to 44, all 59c

$4 Messaline Waist 1.98

All silk messalines, yoke of 44 cluster tucks, 12 tucks in back; black, navy and green. Sizes 34 to 44.

98c LONG KIMONOS 39c

Made of Swansdown fleeced flannel, tan only, with Greek border, made on yoke, extra full sizes, 36 to 44.

29c CORSET COVERS 17c

a manufacturer's entire stock of corset covers, lace and hamburg trimmed and run with ribbon. Sizes 31 to 44.

1.59 WOMEN'S SKIRT CHEMISE 98c

A manufacturer's clean-up of chemises, four styles in this lot, one like cut, all equally good values, daintily trimmed with lace and ribbon. Sizes 36 to 42.

$1.00 P. N. Corsets 69c, one of the new long hip, medium bust, P. N. Corsets, made of heavy Coutil, 4 elastic stocking supporters, value $1. Special, 69c

New Corset Dep't. Bargains

Tape Girdles, made of the best English tape, same as cut. Regular price 29c. Sale price 12½c

House Corsets, and Corsets for Misses, in small lots and odd sizes. Regular price 49c. Sale price 25c

Ferris Waists, in drab, the 227 model. Reg. price 75c. Sale price 45c

69c Black Petticoats 39c

Mercerized cotton taffeta, 12-inch flounce and 8 tucks and lower ruffle, extra wide and full. Lengths 38, 40, 42 .... 39c

29c Short White Petticoats 19c

These skirts come in white striped dimity, with 5-inch ruffle; in 25, 27, 29-inch lengths.

GREATEST SMALLWARE BARGAINS EVER OFFERED

Nail Scrubs, 25 styles and colors; sold as high as 20c each. Sale price 8c

Odd lots of 50c Hair Brushes 29c

Imitation Rosewood Back Hair Brushes, regular price 15c. Sale price 8c

Fancy Back Hair Brushes, good quality; regular price 19c. Sale price 10c

Tooth Brushes, warranted all bristle, good quality; regular price 12½c. Sale price.......... 7c

Black Dressing Combs, medium size, regular price 15 cents. Sale price 9c

Bunch Tape, 6 pieces in a bunch, asst. sizes, price 5c. Sale price.. 3c

Super English Twilled Tape, 4-yard pieces, ¼ to 1 inch, all widths, price 5c. Sale price.. 3c

Pen Holders, price 5c. Sale price 1c

Blotting Paper, price 5c package 2c

200 Yd. Spool Cotton; for this sale 1c

Children's Fancy Frilled Side Elastics; regular price 10c. Sale price 4c

Fancy Frilled Round Garters, regular price 10c. Sale price.......... 6c

Ladies' Fancy Frilled Side Elastics, all frilled, no [illegible], regular price 25c. Sale price 12½c

Ladies' All Silk Frilled Side Elastic; value 50c, genuine velvet grip. Sale price 25c

Ladies' Large Size Sateen Front Pad Hose Supporters, asst. colors; regular price 25c. Sale price.......... 15c

Shears, assorted sizes, brass fasteners, regular price 15c. Sale price.......... 7c

Scissors, assorted sizes, bright finish; regular price 19c. Sale price 12c

Darning Wool, black, on cards, regular price 2 for 5c. Sale price 2 for.......... 3c

German Silver Thimbles, regular price 5c. Sale price.......... 2c

Black and White Hook Eyes, four sizes; price 3c. Sale price, per card.......... 1c

Toothpicks, antiseptic, assorted flavors, price 5c. Sale price.......... 1c

Cleanora—For the toilet and bath. Sale price 9c

Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in a box. Sale price, per box 8c

Lowe's Face Powder, price 15c. Sale price 9c

Shaving Brushes, price 15c. Sale price 9c

500 yds Basting Cotton, for this sale, 2 for 5c

½-oz. Spools Black Sewing Silks; regular price 25c. Sale price 12c

Good Quality of Needles, 25 in paper. Sale price.......... 1c

Milward's Needles, all sizes; regular price 5c. Sale price 2 for.......... 5c

Knitting Needles, 4 in wooden case; regular price 6c. Sale price.... 3c

Needle Book, 4 papers of needles and darners; price 10c. Sale price 4c

Silk Hair Nets—Regular price 10c. Sale price 5c

Cabinet Hair Pins—Regular price 10c. Sale price.......... 5c

Glycerine—Glycerine and Rose Water, Almond Cream, Witch Hazel, Cucumber Cream; price 10c. Sale price 7c

Asbestos Iron Holders, regular price 5c. Sale price, 2 for.......... 5c

Crown Shields, sizes 2, 3, 4, good quality; regular price 12½c. Sale price 3 pairs for.......... 25c

Feather Stitch Braid, assorted styles; price 7c. Sale price.......... 4c

Pins—400 in a paper, all sizes, for this sale, 3 papers for.......... 5c
Not more than 1 dozen to a customer.

Safety Pins—All sizes, regular price 3c. Sale price, 2 papers for... 3c

Aluminum Thimbles, asst. sizes, regular price 2c. Sale price, 2 for. 1c

Hair Pins—140 in package, all sizes, regular price 10c. Sale price.. 5c

Fancy Frilled Elastic, in remnants of ¾ yard each. Regular price 15c yard. Sale price, per piece 3c

Silk Frilled Elastic, a few colors only, regular price 25c yard. Sale price 10c

DOUBLE LEGAL STAMPS MORNINGS

4.00 Babies' Bear Cloth Coats 1.98
Ostrich weave, double-breasted and lined throughout. Sizes 1 to 4 years.

GIRLS' RAIN CAPES 1.49
Made of striped rubberized cloth, plaid lining in the hoods. Sizes 4 to 14 years.

A New Shoe Department

(Located on Our Fourth Floor)

OUR NEW BUYER will open Monday with an entirely NEW STOCK of the latest styles in

Women's, Misses', Children's & Boys' Footwear

Every pair of shoes that was in stock a week ago will be sold at Half Price or Less

231 Pairs Women's and Children's Regular $1.50 Boots, calf or kid, all marked down to.......... 75c

225 Pairs Women's Regular $2.00 Boots, in patent, calf, or kid leathers, to close at.......... 95c

800 Pairs Women's Regular $3.00 and $3.50 Boots and Oxfords, Goodyear welts, reduced to.......... 1.50

'Keep Dri' Pure Para Rubber Storm Leggins For Women and Children
Prevent colds from wet skirts. They are as practical and necessary as rubbers and can be rolled into a very small parcel when not in use. Send your ankle measurement, sizes 8-9-10-inch ankles. Price pair, $1
Postage 20c.

39c Babies' Bearcloth Bonnets 25c
These come curly or in the plain bear. Sizes 13 to 16.

3.00 Girls' Galatea Dresses 1.59
A manufacturer's clean-up of fine dresses, made of Hydegrade Galatea cloth. Several styles in this lot. All with full plaited skirts. Sizes 6 to 14 years.

A Savage Cut in Prices

COATS

	WERE	NOW
2 Black Mohair Auto Coats, sizes 36 and 38	15.00	2.98
32 New Rubber Lined Mohair Rain Coats	7.50	3.98
34 Silk Stripe Rubber Lined Coats, sizes 34 to 42	15.00	7.98
3 Gray Satin Rubber Lined Capes, full sweep	22.50	4.98
25 Black Fur Collar Coats, 50 inches long	2.98	1.98
35 Heavy Black Kersey Coats, 50-inch, half fitted	7.50	2.98
28 All Wool Black, Blue and Red Cheviot Coats	16.50	7.98

SUITS

	WERE	NOW
35 Odd Lots Cloth Suits, black, gray and mixtures	10.00	4.98
16 Women's Odd Lots Black, Blue and Wine Suits	18.50	7.98
45 Junior and Misses' Suits, sizes 13 to 18	15.00	7.98
20 Women's Embroidered Broadcloth 3-Piece Suits	25.00	9.98
2 Rajah Silk Suits, navy, sizes 16 and 36	45.00	15.00
1 Rajah Silk 3-Piece Copenhagen Suit, size 38	50.00	19.50
40 Women's Cloth Suits, regular and odd sizes	25.00	14.98
1 Green Velvet Suit, 36 size, Persian trimming	55.00	14.98

DRESSES

	WERE	NOW
48 Lingerie Dresses, Light Colors, sizes 40, 42, 44	1.98	1.25
50 Lingerie, Pink, Blue, Lavender, White	4.98	2.98
33 Pink, Blue, Tan and Lavender Batiste	9.98	4.98
48 Silk Batiste, All Colors, sizes 14 to 42	7.50	4.98
4 Silk Muslin 2-Piece Dresses, brown & black stripes	12.98	7.98
5 Black Silk Taffeta Dresses, sizes 34 to 40	16.50	7.98

FURS

	WERE	NOW
1 Long Mink Throw Tie, 84-in., 3-stripe	80.00	40.00
1 Fine Mink Shawl, collars mink tails	70.00	35.00
1 Natural Raccoon Set, rug muff and shawl	30.00	15.00
1 Cross Fox Set, rug muff, long throw	50.00	25.00
1 Iceland Fox Set, White, pillow muff, long throw	30.00	15.00
1 French Seal Set, pillow muff and long throw	20.00	9.98
31 College Girls' Blouses, colors navy and raisin	7.98	2.98
6 Squirrel Lined Auto Coats	30.00	14.98

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Annual Sale American Printing Co.'s Wash Goods
200,000 Yds. Cotton Foulards, Pongees and Prints

5c a Yard Newest printings and colorings; six big bargain tables, 50 extra salespeople, magnificent window display. See the beautiful dresses made from these goods and buy as you never bought before, while the price is 5c a yard.

Another sensational sale of 12½c, 15c and 20c Wash Goods, at 7½c a yard, consisting of Fleeced Flannelettes in the best designs, Printed Batistes, in new 1910 Colors, Plisses and Seersucker Batistes .... **7½c a Yard**

25c and 50c all wool and part wool Flannels, Plaids, Stripes, Checks and Novelty Woven Effects, for Waists, Pajamas and Children's Dresses **19c a Yard**

Main Floor.

Linens, White Goods — Sheets and Pillow Cases

The largest purchases ever recorded in the United States at the lowest price concessions ever made have been consummated by the four Siegel Stores during the past six months. The greatness of these transactions is reflected in these remarkable values at prices cut 1-4, 1-3 and 1-2. Main Floor.

75c Table Damask Full bleached, fine quality, mercerized finish table damask, full two yards wide, new desirable patterns, yd. **48c**

89c Table Damask Full bleached heavy weight, fine quality pure Irish linen, new desirable patterns, yd. **69c**

1.39 Napkins Full bleached, fast selvidge, heavy weight Irish linen, new patterns, size 20x20 inches—dozen **98c**

1.75 Table Cloths Bordered table cloths, all pure linen with row of open work, hemmed ready for use, size 8-10—each **$1.39**

3.00 Pattern Table Cloths Bordered pattern table cloth, fine quality heavy weight pure Irish linen, new pretty patterns, size 8-10—each **$1.98**

2.75 Napkins Full bleached, heavy weight, all linen napkins of a reliable Scotch make, size 22x22 inches—dozen **$1.98**

25c and 30c Sheeting 5000 yards of bleached cotton sheeting, a standard quality, in mill end lengths, 2 yards and 2¼ yards wide—yard **19c**

39c Madras Waisting White mercerized madras waisting, with beautiful lustrous finish, new Spring patterns—yard **19c**

59c Bleached Sheets Bleached cotton sheets, made from good quality cotton with 3 and 1-inch hems, size 72x90 inches, seamed—each **42c**

75c Bleached Sheets Bleached sheets, made from a heavy weight linen finish cotton, with 3 and 1-inch hems, size 81x90 inches, seamed—each **53c**

17c White Lawns 5000 yards of 32-inch white lawns, fine sheer qualities, suitable for waists, dresses and aprons, mill end lengths—yard **7½c**

15c to 19c Nainsook 5000 yards of soft finish nainsook, 36 and 40 inches wide, desirable for fine undergarments and infants wear, in mill end lengths from 2 to 8 yards each, yard 8½c

15c Long Cloth 1000 yards of English longcloth, with that soft chamois finish so desirable for undergarments, in mill end lengths from 2 to 10 yards—yard 8½c

8½c

CHARGE CUSTOMERS
ALL PURCHASES MADE TO-MORROW WILL BE CHARGED ON BILL RENDERED MARCH 1ST

Advance Sale Prices on New Silks

Monday's big feature will be a popular 49c sale of the leading Spring weaves for 1910. These silks are the leading 75c and 89c qualities. We gave the mills huge advance orders months ago, securing a concession of one-third. Main Floor.

Peau de Cashmere—All pure silk. A splendid full dress quality. Rich lustrous black. Actual value 89c a yard. Now........
Satin Messalines—20 inches wide. A big shipment of new 1910 shades. Over 50 different colors and tints, light and dark colors. Worth 75c a yard. Now........ **49c**

The Greatest Foulard Season Ever Known Is Before You

Foulard Silks—24 inches wide, in latest colorings and printings. 15 pieces in this lot; all clever colorings and choice designs. Actual 75c value. Now, per yard **42c**

Lyons Foulards—36 and 40 inches wide. A beautiful satin fabric in dainty designs and colors. All new 1910 shades and printings. Actual value $1.50 yard. Now **78c**

Chiffon Bengalines—25 inches wide. 25 pieces in the lot in 10 different colors. Made to sell at 65c yard. Now **29c**

First Great New Spring Dress Goods Sale
A $2.00 Chiffon Weight Broadcloth 98c

First Exhibition and Sale of the new Spring shades—15 leading colors, such as wistaria, catawba, ashes of roses, stone green, the new grays, navy blue, etc. Other stores are already showing this quality at $2 a yard. A mill we helped out in the past sold us this lot as an advance offering for half price, enabling us to save you half your money while it lasts. Main Floor.

DRESS GOODS — Former Prices Up to $1.50
Bedford Cords, Prunellas, Raye India Twills, Shadow Weave Satin Cloths, Paris and Berlin novelties, all choice colors and a big selection to choose from, yard....... **78c**

DRESS GOODS — Former Prices Up to $1.25
German Novelties, Blue and Green French Suitings, Silk and Wool Plaids, for waists and children's dresses. Gray Mixed Suitings and Overchecks, Novelty Worsteds, Shadow Weaves, etc., widths up to 56 inches wide, yard **49c**

DRESS GOODS — Former Price $1.00 a Yard
Black French Voiles, crisp, wiry finish, close mesh in rich deep black. This is a special purchase of a French importer's stock on hand, 25 pieces, 44 inches wide, yard......... **55c**

Tailor Made Skirts Made to Your Measure for $1

Buy any material you desire at our Dress Goods department, black or colors. We guarantee you a perfect fitting skirt. The tailor charges for making, only..........

NIGHT GOWNS 59c Sale

One of the best values ever offered, style, fine quality cambric, hemstitched tucked yoke, square, high or V neck, value 98c, at **59c**

Chemise Style Night Gowns, Like cut, good quality nainsook, yoke trimmed with hamburg insertion and val. lace inserted above and below, short puff sleeve, ruffle edged with lace. Value $1.25, Monday **79c**

Flannelette Gowns, Made extra full and wide, of heavy flannelette, in good colors, yokes prettily trimmed. Value $2.00, at. **98c**

A Sample Lot of White Skirts, Made of French cambric and nainsook, deep flare ruffle of fine val. insertions and dainty new patterns of emb., dust ruffle. Value $3.98, at... **1.98**

Second Floor

Sir Henri Shoe $2

The best shoe ever offered the New England public—at the price. Made on $3 and $4 lasts to meet the demand for a reliable shoe at $2.

40 new styles ready Monday morning. Patent colt—vici kid—dull leathers—buttons or lace—cloth or kid top—**$2.00.**

FEBRUARY SEMI-ANNUAL FURNITURE SALE

50 5-Piece Parlor Suites for $30.00

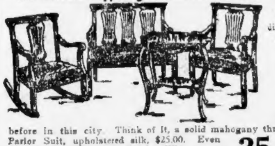
Of all the astonishing news the moderate housekeeper has heard this season this will please her most. Even the picture cannot do justice to this Suit. Think of it saving $20.00 on this grade Parlor Suit, upholstered in silk plush, five pieces **$30.00**

This $18.00 Mission Combination Set

2 Weeks Required for Delivery.

Consists of three of the handsomest pieces of mission furniture ever offered, and has often been imitated, but never equalled. The seats of the chairs are well upholstered and the frames are of solid oak, finished in early English. February sale price........ **$9.95**

$40 Mahogany Parlor Suits $25



Such a display of medium grade Parlor Suits never heard of before in this city. Think of it, a solid mahogany three-piece Parlor Suit, upholstered silk, $25.00. Even the frames are dull finish. What more could you wish.......... **25.00**

Just 100 of These Solid Oak Dressers
Oval mirror. On sale to-morrow morning at **$6.95**

This Solid Oak Chiffonier
Five drawers. On sale Monday morning at **$3.98**

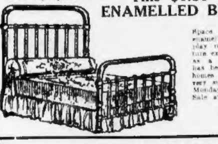
This $20 Quartered Oak Buffet

What an opportunity for young housekeepers of moderate means. A good size Buffet, swell front, quartered oak, full number of drawers and cabinets, good size mirror, a substantial piece of furniture **$12.95**

Five Spindle Kitchen Chair

Value 80c. Five spindle, round back, full-size kitchen chair, light or dark finish, made of chestnut wood, regular 80c chair. Monday only...... **50c**

One Day Special **This $6.50 ENAMELLED BED $2.95**



Space prevents our illustrating enamelled beds, but the display reminds you of a furniture exposition. This is known as a hotel bed, but yet it has become popular in modest homes everywhere. Plain, but very substantial, offered during Monday only of the February Sale at **$2.95**

This $15 Rocker
In a large size, well made and upholstered in a splendid imitation of leather. February sale price. **$7.95**

DINING CHAIR ONE DAY ONLY
Extraordinary offering of Leather Box Seat Dining Chairs **$1.75**
A $3.25 value, quartered oak—for Monday only.

This $30.00 Brass Bed Square Top Rail **$15**
Has heavy square top rails, one and one-fourth in. tubing, satin finished, seven fillers, each one ornamented with heavy rod ends with two-inch tubing in the posts. This is the most wonderful brass bed bargain ever offered in New England, and all will be sold in one day, consequently this value is for Monday only **$15.00**

75c, $1.00 and $1.25 Enamel Ware at 49c

Imported, selected grade, first quality TURQUOISE BLUE ENAMEL WARE; blue enamel outside, white enamel inside. Basement

Item	Description	Price
Water Pail	Full 10-quart size, Special for	49c
Water Pitcher	Full 8-quart size, Special for	49c
Preserve Kettle	Full 5 and 6-quart size, for	49c
Tea Kettle	Enamel cover, flat bottom, 4-qt. size,	49c
Sauce Pan	Berlin shape, 5-qt. size, enamel cover,	49c
Coffee Pots	Hinged enamel cover, 2-quart size,	49c
Rice Boilers	Enamel cover, 1-quart size, for	49c
Tea Pots	Hinged enamel cover, 2-quart size,	49c
Sauce Pan	Straight sides, enamel covers, 4-qt. size,	49c
Berlin Kettle	With cover and bail handle, 5-qt. size,	49c
Dish Pan	Large round shape, 10-quart size,	49c

$2.75 Ash Cans—3-Ribbed, steel galvanized, No. 18, extra strong, size 17 x 26 in. Special at **1.69**

Copper Tea Kettles, Nickel Plated—14-oz. rolled copper, heavily nickel plated, flat bottom. Size No. 7. Special at **69c**

$1.50 and $2 Wash Boilers—1X charcoal tin, 14-oz. copper bottom, sizes No. 8, 9, for large family use .. **95c**

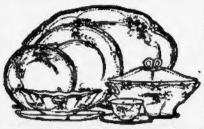
$1 Curtain Stretcher, 2 yards wide, 4 yards long, brass pins, nickel plated, with measure printed on. Special **79c**

45c Coal Hod—Made of good quality heavy galvanized iron, reinforced, extra strong, 18 inches high. Special at **25c**

$1.00 Wash Tub—Strong, galvanized iron, with wringer attachment, medium size, 22 inches across. Special **59c**

This Splendid $12.50—112 pc. Dinner Set for $7.98

$40.00 DINNER SET



Fine Haviland China. Set consists of 112 pieces, which makes a complete set for 12 people. In violet, wood and pink floral decorations. Special at **$24.50**

Set has large rose, pink and spray decorations and is made of good quality porcelain china. Set consists of the following pieces: Basement.

12 Dinner Plates	1 Pickle Dish
12 Breakfast Plates	2 Covered Vegetable Dishes
12 Tea Plates	1 Open Vegetable Dish
12 Soup Plates	1 Sugar Bowl
12 Preserve Plates	1 Cream Pitcher
1 Meat Dish (first size)	1 Slop Bowl
1 Meat Dish (second size)	1 Covered Butter Drainer
1 Gravy Boat	12 Tea Cups and Saucers.

$7.98

$25.00 DINNER SET

Best Austrian China. Set consists of 100 pieces. Every piece has a gold line edge. In rose, border and spray decorations. Special for Monday at **$15.00**

$2.50 CHOCOLATE SET FOR $1.50
Fine Japanese China, in assorted rose decorations, set consists of 13 pieces—1 pot and 6 cups and saucers. Special Monday, set......... **$1.50**

$2.50 SALAD SETS FOR $1.50
Or Berry Sets, fine Japanese China, in large rose decorations, set consists of 7 pieces—1 bowl and 6 saucers. Special, set **$1.50**

Henry Siegel Co., Washington and Essex Streets, Boston, Mass. Mail Orders a Specialty. Store Open from 9 to 6

BALLINGER, IN EAST, MAKES DEFENCE OF CONDUCT

Speech at Providence Thought to Have Been at Hint of Senator Aldrich.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 29.—Secretary of the Interior Ballinger surprised Providence, at Churchill House to-night, by delivering a Ballinger-Pinchot address on "The Conservation of Our Natural Resources." Secretary Ballinger came East, it is believed here, at the suggestion of Senator Aldrich.

Providence called it a Ballinger-Pinchot address because, at times, Secretary Ballinger sounded like an echo of his adversary, Gifford Pinchot, late Chief Forester of the United States.

When, for instance, the cabinet officer said: "When you attempt to regulate the use of a man's private business, so that he no longer has an independent influence over it, he might as well surrender it to the State," folks at the Churchill House declared that this was the Mr. Ballinger they had been reading about. Everybody leaned forward for more.

But when, again, Mr. Ballinger declared that "no man can justify his ambition for power, or his lust for wealth, by destroying the opportunities of others to live and enjoy their share of our bounties," Providence opened its eyes and gasped, and clapped its hands and said that this was the talk of a true conservator. "What more," asked his audience, "could Mr. Pinchot say?"

Must Restrain Waste.

"That conservation which merely preserves our natural resources," he said, "does not, I believe, appeal to the public, but that which, through development, saves them from waste and improper use commends itself to the best thought of our day.

"Some people, I fear, have an idea that to conserve them means to bottle them up. The American system of government contemplates the freest possible liberty consistent with the general good, and in discussing this subject of regulation and control by state and government this principle should be considered.

"Profligacy and wanton waste of our inheritance is of course to be restrained wherever the power exists. After all, the question is one of frugality and economy.

"Our nation's future is in the highest degree involved in the perpetuity of our wealth and the ability of our people to live in happiness. Many of our natural resources have been exhausted without the power of reproduction. The ease and facility with which some of our resources have been produced has created a tendency to waste.

Wants More Authority.

"The free distribution of public lands under earlier administrations is another cause of the present concentration of public lands in the hands of individuals and combinations. They have taken advantage of the government's liberality. Under the present policy of conservation our resources should not be under national agencies, but through private enterprises under governmental supervision. Therefore, if material progress is to be made in our remaining public lands we must call upon Congress to give this executive branch of the government a larger authority to obtain these results."

Harry Delmont Arrested.

Harry Delmont, wanted here for jumping his bail of $500 in a pocket picking charge, has been picked up in New York. A Boston inspector went after him last night.

BANKERS TO SPEND MILLION TO FIGHT POSTAL SAVINGS

Stupendous Campaign Planned Against the Proposed New Legislation.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—With the authority of the American Bankers' Association, probably the most powerful organization of capitalists in the world, the American is enabled to give to its readers exclusively the reasons why this remarkable aggregation of capitalists is willing to spend a vast sum of money—a million if necessary—in order to educate the people on the subject of postal savings banks, which, curiously, it considers a menace to the American people and inimical to their best interests.

The American Bankers' Association consists of the officials of every national, State and savings bank in the whole United States. The capital controlled by this aggregation of bankers is stupendous; the resources at its command run into billions of dollars.

The organization is prepared to go "the limit" to defeat the proposed postal savings bank bill now before Congress, and singularly enough it declares without equivocation that in this opposition it is absolutely unselfish and without prejudice; that the enactment of a postal savings bank law is not likely to seriously affect deposits in Eastern savings banks, but that its tendency will be to withdraw banking capital from the smaller settlements of the West and generally demoralize investments.

It points out that the aggregate savings of the people of the United States in savings banks and other concerns which guard the money of the provident class, approximate the stupendous sum of $10,000,000,000, and if this amount of money should be withdrawn from circulation it would lead to most disastrous results.

So firm is the belief of the American Bankers' Association, that it has already expended between $20,000 and $25,000 in postage stamps alone in circulating throughout the country literature bearing on the subject, and petitions in blank addressed to members of Congress which read:

"Believing that the postal savings bank system would prove detrimental to the best business interests of this community and of the country at large, the undersigned respectfully urge that you oppose any legislation for the establishment of postal savings banks."

[illegible] a million copies of this pe[illegible] sent to every national, St[illegible] savings bank in the country, to every [illegible] of Commerce, to every board of trade, to every commercial body, life insurance company and provident loan society, and also to every building and loan association in the United States.

PROTEST COURTHOUSE.

Plans Are Held Up By East Boston People.

Opposition to building the new courthouse and police station for East Boston in Central square has gathered new strength through the discovery by the abutters of the property of a clause in the deed by which the land was conveyed to the city of Boston which says that the abutters shall have a say as to the character of the structure to be erected upon the site. The residents of Central square object to a building of this character, which, they say, will not only deprive them of light and air, but with a police station will make the section less desirable as a residential place. Plans for the building have been temporarily suspended.

LYNN WOMAN WHO ELOPED NOW SEEKING DIVORCE

MRS. LOTTIE E' SIMMONS

WILLIAM RUSSELL WILL TAKE STAND

Daniel Blake Russell, who says he is the son of the late Daniel Russell of Melrose, and who is fighting for one-half of the $500,000 estate held by William C. Russell, will again take the witness stand in his own behalf. William will go on next week, his lawyer says.

When Mr. Russell took the stand he told the story of his life. In an attempt to break down his tale, several witnesses have been called by William C. Russell. A number of these have come from New York, who have sworn that the claimant is James D. Ruseau. Friday Attorney Proctor offered evidence to show that Mr. Russell had attended a commercial school in Boston after he left the Melrose high school.

Mr. Russell has already stated that he did not attend any school after completing his education at the Melrose High School and for this reason Senator Simpson has decided to again put Mr. Russell on the stand.

"After the witnesses for William C. Russell have testified, I shall again put the claimant on the stand to refute some of the testimony that has been offered," said Simpson. "Of course there were many things that Dan could not remember when he testified before that have come to him since that time, and I think he should tell everything.

At the rate this hearing is progressing I expect that several weeks more will elapse before the case is finished."

Robert Nason, attorney for William Russell, intended putting his client on the stand several days ago, but New York witnesses arrived which delayed his appearance.

MARRIED AGAINST ADVICE; SORRY NOW

Mrs. Lottie Simmons Preaches to Girls From Her Own Shattered Romance.

WHEN her father told her to choose between him and the man she was sure she loved, Mrs. Lotta Simmons of Lynn, five years ago, a comely country maiden of eighteen, took the man. Now she wishes she had heeded her father's advice. She is among the numerous Lynn women who are to ask a divorce in the Superior Court at Salem in April. Her husband, Percy C. Simmons, a Lynn decorator and designer, will not contest the suit.

"No girl of eighteen knows her own heart," says Mrs. Simmons, "but a man with a big tongue can easily convince her that she does. Then, too late, she will repent that she didn't take counsel from her parents and add a few years to her maiden name before rushing into matrimony.

"A girl is a fool to elope and displease her parents, and nine times out of ten she learns the truth of this statement. There ought to be a law against girls getting married before they are at least twenty-one."

Mrs. Simmons's father is George W. Willard, who has built many of the pretty cottages at Wolfboro on Lake Winnepesaukee. She declares that her husband's love for her waned after he had consumed most of a small legacy left her by a relative and that two years of married life sufficed for both.

For four years her father refused to welcome her home, but through the efforts of her married sister a reconciliation was effected Christmas. She caused her husband's arrest a few days ago when she found him in company with another woman. Judge Lummus continued the case again Simmons with the understanding that his wife would ask for a divorce.

CANNED MUSIC FAD DYING, COURT HEARS

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Announcement that the phonograph fad is already on the wane was made yesterday in the Supreme Court in connection with the transaction which gave to Thomas A. Edison practically the entire control of the stock of the Edison Phonograph Works.

The report of F. E. J. Sutton of the Guaranty Trust Company, which transferred to Edison 1,440 shares of stock in his combine, set forth that the wizard of electricity was lucky to make his enormous business in phonographs pay a dividend last year, and that the outlook for this year is even less encouraging.

Sutton explained that the total profits of the Edison Phonograph Works during the year ended February, 1909, were only $225,000 on a bonded indebtedness of about the same amount and a floating indebtedness of between $600,000 and $700,000. The future for this supposedly popular instrument is not at all promising, he declared.

Runaway Boys Found.

Allen G. Stewart, Willie Shannon and Joey Ryan, missing from their Somerville homes, were picked up in Albany yesterday. They are all under fifteen. The Stewart lad was employed recently by a Somerville desk company and disappeared, it is alleged with $750 which he had been sent to get out of a Boston bank. The trio, it is said, had split the money and were having a good time in Albany.

BOSTON HEIRESS TO $50,000 VANISHES

Former Resident of Gray Nuns' Home Gets Legacy, but Can't Be Found.

LOST—Miss Annie Neely, heiress to $50,000. Samuel H. Whitley, lawyer, of No. 28 State street, Boston, would be glad to have any information that will lead to the girl's location.

MISS NEELY was formerly of Boston, and at that time, so far as anyone here knows, she did not anticipate that she would some time inherit the tidy sum that has been bequeathed to her by a friend who lived in Chicago. Mr. Whitley does not care to reveal the identity of the friend at this time.

Miss Neely came to Boston during the Summer of 1897 from her home in Waukegan, Ill. She lived for two months at the Gray Nuns' Home in Union Park street. She tried to get a position in the public library as a clerk but failed. She finally obtained a position as clerk with the Mark Cross Company in Summer street. She moved to No. 12 St. James street and later lived in West Newton street with a Mrs. Whitney or a Mrs. Sherman. While at the Gray Nuns' Home she became friendly with a Miss Mary Higgins, at present a Boston business woman.

Traced to New York.

Through Miss Higgins, Mr. Whitley has traced Miss Neely to New York City, and he expects to get some definite knowledge of her present whereabouts as the result of names contained in a letter which she wrote to Miss Higgins in 1904. The letter is as follows:

New York City, Oct. 7, 1904.

My Dear Miss Higgins:

I wanted to see Mrs. Spelman before writing you but I have been feeling so poorly that I did not get over to Brooklyn. Yesterday I was in bed all day and this morning Mrs. Rynders insisted on me seeing Dr. Maguire. He gave me medicine and put me on a diet.

They are all so good to me here that I ought to get well. Mrs. Wheeler was out to-day and bought me a quail and calves' foot jelly and Mrs. R. had the cook made me beef broth. Anyhow, I feel better to be here but yesterday I did feel discouraged. I have no news to give you as I have not been out any place. Could have gone to the theatre but wasn't equal to it. I shall go to Brooklyn just as soon as I can as I want to see Mrs. Spelman and the baby. Hoping that you are well, I am,

Lovingly yours,
ANNIE NEELY.

157 Lexington ave.

Mrs. Rynders was the woman Miss Neely was staying with in New York. Mrs. Spelman of Brooklyn was a Miss Knapp before marriage.

Worried About Health.

Miss Higgins received the letter while living at No. 12 James street, Boston. She did not answer it and so did not keep in touch with Miss Neely. She has no idea where Miss Neely is at present although she thinks that there may be people in Boston, New York or Chicago who do know.

Miss Neely was the daughter of John Neely of Waukegan, Ill. She was about five feet tall, had dark brown hair and eyes, rosy complexion and weighed about 130 pounds. Her mother died from dyspepsia and she suffered from it to a large extent and was always worried for fear she might also die from it.

OBJECT TO PUBLICITY.

Corporation Leaders at Washington Are Hopeful of Taft.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 29.—President Taft will make the cause of the corporations of the country that are objecting to the publicity clause in the corporation tax law, the subject of a cabinet meeting next Tuesday.

Whether the men who are here trying to get the law repealed or modified so as to keep their reports secret, have made any progress toward the accomplishment of their purpose, will not be known until after that meeting is held. Theodore Parsons, of the Arkwright club of Boston, and F. C. Dumaine, of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, are among delegates to the corporation conference.

GETS 14-YEAR SENTENCE.

Notorious Smuggler in Portland U. S. Court Is Sent to Atlanta.

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 29.—William J. Kelley, sixty years old and six feet two inches tall, a farmer of Richmond, N. B., was to-day sentenced to fourteen years at hard labor in the Federal prison at Atlanta, Ga., by Judge Hale in the U. S. District Court. He was found guilty of smuggling and assaulting United States officers. A wife and ten children are waiting for Kelley back at Richmond. In April, 1902, Kelley beat Collector of Customs Frank W. Burns at Hodgdon, Me., into insensibility with a stake, leaving him for dead in the road. He wasn't caught until last November.

FIRST LIQUOR ARREST.

Lynn Driver Held Under New U. S. Law; 10 Kegs Seized.

The first arrest in this State since the new Federal law aimed to stop the shipment of liquors into dry cities and towns went into effect, was made in Lynn yesterday when ten kegs of beer were confiscated and Eli Vallier, driver of a delivery wagon, which carried the beer, was held in $300 for a hearing to-morrow.

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LOST GIRL WHO HAS A FORTUNE WAITING FOR HER

ANNIE NEELY

QUINBY-THAYER WEDDING.

Boston Doctor Wins Worcester Belle for His Bride.

WORCESTER, Jan. 29.—Dr. William P. Quinby of Boston was married at noon today to Miss Marguerite Elizabeth Thayer, one of Worcester's richest and most beautiful women, at the home of her father, former Congressman John R. Thayer, at No. 153 Cambridge street.

The Rev. Thomas F. Davies, rector of All Saints Church, was the clergyman. The bride's maid was Miss Charlotte D. Thayer, her sister. Dr. Quinby's classmate in Harvard, Dr. James Tobert of Boston, was his best man. The bridegroom is a son of Dr. Hosea Quinby, superintendent of the Worcester State Hospital for the Insane.

Dr. Quinby and his bride will make an extended honeymoon. They will be at home at a date to be announced later, at No. 367 Marlborough street, Boston.

DRAPER'S FUNERAL MONDAY IN CAPITAL

Former Ambassador's Body Will Be Brought to Hopedale for Interment.

The funeral of General William F. Draper of Hopedale, ex-member of Congress, ambassador to Italy and brother of Governor Eben S. Draper, will be held to-morrow at Washington. The body will leave there to-morrow night for Hopedale, where it will lie in state Tuesday afternoon and evening and Wednesday. It will be placed in the Draper tomb at Hopedale Wednesday afternoon.

The exercises will be at 2:30 p. m. to-morrow in General Draper's Winter home at the Capital.

Governor Draper said last night that he could not go to Washington to attend the funeral. The Governor's home on Berkeley street is in mourning. The Governor and his immediate family will meet the body at Hopedale and remain there until the entombment on Wednesday.

Mrs. William F. Draper, the General's second wife, and her daughter, who is one of this season's buds in Washington society, will accompany the body from the Capital to Hopedale. Despatches from Washington say that the General's four children by his first wife will also go to Hopedale.

General Draper's death was caused by cirrhosis of the liver. He had been failing for more than a year, but the real nature of his illness was not known until two months ago. He knew for several weeks that he was dying. A few hours before his death he lapsed into unconsciousness.

General Draper would have been sixty-eight years old April 9. He was born in Lowell. He served in the Civil war, retired because of wounds and was breveted brigadier-general for gallant service.

On his return to Milford he entered his father's textile machinery company. He was elected to the 53d and 54th Congresses. He was voted for as a candidate for Governor in the Republican convention of 1888. He was sent to Italy as United States Ambassador in 1897. General Draper resigned later to devote himself to his business.

His first wife was Miss Lydia Joy of Nantucket. She died in 1884. In 1890 he married Miss Susan Preston, daughter of a Kentucky military officer.

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Eggs, Fancy, Large Brown, 40c value, per dozen	30c	Prunes, Fancy Santa Clara, 8c value, per lb.	6c
Soap, Lenox, 15c value, 3 bars	10c	Beans, Fancy Hand Picked, 10c value, quart	8c
Quaker Oats, with China, 25c val. Family size package	22c	Macaroni, Imported Style, 10c value, package	7c
Peanut Butter, 15c value, per lb.	12c	Pineapple, Hawaiian, sliced, extra large can	21c

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Corned Lamb Flanks, 8c value, per lb.	5c	Squires Bacon, 22c value, per lb.	18c
Hamburg Steak, 10c value, per lb.	8c	Smoked Shoulders, 15c value, per lb.	13c

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ASSORTED CAKES, 14c value, per lb.	12c	FROSTED SPONGE CAKES, 20c value, loaf	18c
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CHOCOLATE TOKENS, 25c value, per pkg.	23c	FRENCH BREAD, 5c value, loaf	4c
BROWNIES, measure	5c	JELLY SQUARES, each	5c

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COPPER TEA KETTLES, Nickel Plated, No. 8 size, hold 7 qts., regular price $1.19, each	89c	DOUBLE BOILERS, First Quality gray enamel seamless, 2-qt. size, regular price 65c, each	49c
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NO. 1. 1 Bottle Defender Rye or Bourbon Whiskey; 1 Bottle Old Port, Sherry, Muscatel or Angelica Wine, 5 Vintage — 99c

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MOTHERS, here is absolutely the best piece of bargain news printed in Boston this season. It is news of a *Sale of Boys' Clothing*—a sale in which you can buy stylish, sturdy clothes for the boy at prices that are absurdly low. The reason for these extraordinary reductions is this: We must have room for incoming Spring lines. These will crowd our tables to their fullest capacity. To effect immediate clearance of all Boys' Clothing in our store we have cut prices unmercifully. Remember this—we show ten styles where other stores show one.

Mothers Save Money on your Boys' Clothing by watching for these announcements each week

Special $5.00 Boys' Knicker Suits, $2.95 — Sizes 8 to 17 years, very handsome suits, made of green, grey and brown Scotch mixtures, nicely tailored, broad shoulders, one of our very best $5 values. Closing out price.... 2.95

$3.00 Child's Blouse Suits Reduced to $1.95 — Sizes 6 to 10 years, very toppy, well made suits, such as sell regularly at $3.00. Full blouse effect with neat ornamentations, cadet grey, brown overplaids, etc., full bloomer pants. While they last, 90 of them, at.. 1.95

$7.50 Military Overcoats, $4.95 — Sizes 9 to 15 years, handsome, dignified, durable and warm overcoats in fancy stripe brown mixtures. These coats are splendid values at $7.50, on Monday, about 200 of them will go on sale at the absurdly low price of....... 4.95

$4.50 Child's Russian Suits, $2.95 — Sizes 3 to 10 years, stunning little suits in plain blue serges, fancy greys and plain greys. Observe the splendid tailoring in these garments when you see them, positive $4.50 values. Sale price........... 2.95

75c Boys' Odd Pants — Sizes 4 to 8 years, strongly made corduroy bloomers in entirely new colors. Regular 75c.......... 48c

75c Boys' Polo Caps — Boys' Astrakan band polo caps that have sold regularly up to now for 75c........ 35c

$1.25 Boys' Odd Pants — Sizes 7 to 16 years, made of heavy wool grey Scotch mixtures. Regularly $1.25....... 79c

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Our Before Stocktaking Sales practically cleared our stocks of all odds and ends and unseasonable goods, enabling us to offer special sales of seasonable merchandise bought under price. Every item on this page presents a distinct price saving. In some departments a few lots were left over—these are still further reduced in price.

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8.98

Caracul Cloth Coats—Illustration shows the model of a Caracul Cloth Coat, made full 52 inches long, large shawl collar, unskimped sleeves with cuffs; lustrous broadtail pony skin finish, interlined and lining throughout guaranteed.......... **8.98**

Sample Coats—Sixty-two extra fine long coats marked down from as high as 25.00, in a variety of materials and designs lined or unlined, all colors and trimming effects. Priced in this sale at **7.50**

Women's Coats—In broadcloth, kersey and cheviot, full length, several model designs, all from the finest materials, lined with the best satins or unlined double texture effects; formerly sold for as high as 35.00.......... **10.00**

Sample Caracul Coats—Made from imported goods in a full length semi-fitting model, shawl collar and full sleeves, interlined throughout and lined right to edge with Skinner's 2-year guaranteed satin; the handsomest coat that can be tailored. Special Monday **14.75**

Worsted Suits—Misses' and small women's pencil striped worsted suits, in a natty 34-in. length style, guaranteed satin lining throughout, full gored skirt. Were $12.75.......... **2.98**

Women's and Misses' Suits—Made like illustration from an elegant invisible self stripe worsted; coat 40 inches long, pretty cluster, plaited skirt, jacket lined throughout with yarn dyed peau de cygne; garment strictly man-tailored, neatly trimmed with long rolling revers, inlaid with silk moire or best quality satin duchess; all sizes and colors.......... **14.75**

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1 **Sable Squirrel Coat**, 52 inches long, size 36, finest quality skins, lined with Skinner satin. Was $200.00, now.. **114.75**

1 **Hudson Seal Coat**, finest quality, 52 inches long, lined with fancy brocade satin, size 38. Was $225.00, now **149.50**

1 **Hudson Seal Coat**, size 40, very fine quality, fancy model, 48 inches long, fancy brocade satin lining. Was $125.00, now **75.00**

1 **Near Seal Coat**, size 38, 52 inches long, lined with Skinner satin. Was $100.00, now.......... **75.00**

1 **Fine Near Seal Coat**, size 36, 52 inches long, lined with Skinner satin. Was $85.00, now.......... **65.00**

1 **Near Seal Coat**, size 38, 36 inches long, fancy model, lined with fancy brocade lining. Was $75.00, now.......... **45.00**

1 **Marmot Coat**, size 38, 52 inches long, best quality skins, mink dyed, Skinner satin lined. Was $85.00, now... **60.00**

1 **Caracul Coat**, size 36, 36 inches long, same quality. Was $60.00, now.. **35.00**

1 **Marmot Coat**, size 36, 36 inches long, same quality. Was $65.00, now.. **40.00**

1 **French Seal Coat**, 52 inches long, fancy model, trimmed with sable raccoon and lined with brocade satin, size 38. Was $200.00, now.......... **97.50**

75.00

1 **Natural Squirrel Coat**, size 38, 31 inches long, fancy brocade satin lined. Was $75.00, now.......... **25.00**

1 **Russian Pony Coat**, size 36, 52 inches long, finely marked skins, Skinner satin lined. Was $85.00, now.......... **65.00**

1 **Caracul Coat**, size 36, 50 inches long, very fine glossy skins, deep shawl collar of black lynx, lined with Skinner satin. Was $125.00, now.......... **50.00**

1 **Russian Pony Coat**, size 38, 52 inches long, very fine glossy skins, lined with fancy brocade satin lining. Was $125, now **75.00**

1 **Russian Pony Coat**, size 38, 36 inches long, fine quality skins, collar and cuffs of sable raccoon, fancy lining. Was $75.00, now.......... **50.00**

1 **Russian Pony Coat**, size 34, 24 inches long, trimmed with fancy braid and brocade satin lined. Was $45.00, now **10.00**

4 **Fur Lined Coats**, sizes 36-38, colors only, wine, brown and modo; full length, plain box or semi-fitted; collars of black lynx, beaver and Persian lamb, linings of pieced mink. Were $45.00, now.......... **18.75**

4 **Russian Pony Coats**, sizes 36-38, 28 inches long, trimmed with braid and plain or fancy satin lined. Were $25.00, now **10.00**

1 **Caracul Coat**, size 36, 45 inches long, fine quality Skinner satin lined. Was $75.00, now..... **45.00**

1 **Brown Coney Coat**, size 34, 45 inches long, fine quality Skinner satin lining. Was $40, now. **27.50**

4 **Brown Coney Coats**, sizes 36-38, 52 inches long, same quality. Were $50.00, now.......... **32.50**

4 **Russian Pony Coats**, sizes 36, 38, 40; 52 inches long, fine quality skins. Value $65, now... **45.00**

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Sheets and Pillow Cases at Less Than the Cost of the Cotton

"Gilchrist Standard" Sheets and Pillow Cases, made from fine heavy bleached cotton—the grade sold by Gilchrist Co. for the last 10 years as a leader.

54x90 Sheets, value 65c, each.. **55¢**
54x99 Sheets, value 71c, each.. **60¢**
63x90 Sheets, value 70c, each.. **65¢**
72x90 Sheets, value 75c, each.. **69¢**
63x99 Sheets, value 77c, each.. **69¢**
72x99 Sheets, value 83c, each.. **75¢**
81x90 Sheets, value 82c, each.. **75¢**
81x93½ Sheets, val. 85c, each.. **79¢**
81x99 Sheets, value 90c, each.. **83¢**
90x99 Sheets, value 97c, each.. **89¢**
42x38½ Cases, val. 23c, each.. **19¢**
45x38½ Cases, val. 24c, each.. **20¢**

Stock Taking Revealed Some Odd Lots in Waists, Corsets, Undermuslins, Petticoats, Sweaters, Etc.

These we've marked at lowest clearance prices, for we will not put them back on the shelves with new goods, even though at the reduced prices they are of better materials than new goods at double the prices.

Most of them are Marked at ½ Price and Less. We mention a few lots

169 **Corset Covers.** Were 25c, now.......... **10¢**
45 **Short Batiste and Coutil Corsets.** Were $1.00, now .... **50¢**
95 **La Lily Corsets.** Were $2.00, now.......... **98¢**
85 **Pure Linen Waists.** Were $1.50, now.......... **76¢**
27 **German Flannel Sacques.** Were $2.50, now.. **1.19**
12 **Moire Tailored Waists.** Were $2.50, now.... **1.00**
10 **Pajamas for Women.** Were $2.50, now..... **1.00**

Nemo Corsets We are headquarters for all Nemo specialties—carrying full lines at all times. We have all sizes in the new No. 522, Elastic Band Reducing Model, at.......... **5.00**

February Sale of Handkerchiefs

Hundreds of Dozens of Pure Linen Handkerchiefs at Less Than Wholesale Prices

Sales of handkerchiefs occur but rarely—they are always worth their full price. Still once in a while we buy out some overstocked importer as we did last week, and you get the full benefit of the saving.

17c and 25c Handkerchiefs—Pure Irish linen initial handkerchiefs, wreath effects, variety of styles. Each **12½c**

8c Handkerchiefs, lawn initial, cross bar or plain; also corded border with initial. At... **6 for 29¢**

25c and 50c Handkerchiefs, pure Irish linen, hand embroidered handkerchiefs, the popular one corner effects; cross bar or plain centres. Marked down to **12½¢ and 25¢**

10c Initial Handkerchiefs, for men, fine soft quality, sold only in ½-dozen lots. Special at... **6 for 38¢**

Pure Irish Linen Hemstitched Handkerchief "Seconds"

Although we use the term "Seconds" in regard to these goods, it will be difficult to distinguish them from those that are absolutely perfect, the only imperfection being an occasional thick thread or a slight irregularity in the hemstitching, in no way affecting the wearing qualities or real worth.

Handkerchiefs for Men			Handkerchiefs for Women		
Seconds of 50c quality	Seconds of 37½c quality	Seconds of 25c quality	Seconds of 37½c and 50c quality	Seconds of 25c quality	Seconds of 12½c and 17c quality
17c	17c	12½c	17c	12½c	8⅓c

Sale of Women's Hosiery and Underwear

Consider carefully each one of these 8 items—they're all the good, reliable, every day sort of merchandise that you are always ready to buy at the right price—it's money in your pocket to buy now all you can use for months to come.

35c Silk Lisle Hose—Lustrous blacks; double soles and spliced heels; a splendid wearing quality. Pair **29c**

50c Imported Hose—Imported silk lisle hose; neat, lace boot patterns with bright silk finish. Pair **37½c**

25c Silk Lisle Hose—Sheer, fine quality; some slightly imperfect; black and tan; (3 pairs for 50c). Pair.......... **17c**

$1.50 Jersey Vests—Silk and wool mixed jersey vests and pants; "Mill Run." Each **75c**

$1.00 Union Suits—Jersey union suits; bleached white; Winter weight; long sleeves and ankle length. Each.......... **79c**

59c Union Suits—Jersey union suits; long sleeves; ankle length; pure white and neatly finished. Each **45c**

$1.50 and $1.75 Tights—Equestrian tights, fast black; heavy worsted; knee lengths. Pair **79c**

$1.00 Mercerized Pants—Bright, lustrous finish; French sateen waistbands. Special at **59c**

DRESS GOODS

$1.25 Gloria Checks—One of Reads' famous fabrics; silk and wool; showing neat checks in black, blue and green over white grounds; 42 inches wide. A yard.......... **79c**

$1.50 English Cheviot Suitings—A serviceable weave; medium weight, all wool, in brown, navy and new blue, including black; 50 inches wide. Yard **79c**

$1.00 Panama—In a very desirable, crispy weave; made of superior lustrous yarns in navy, brown, myrtle and black; 50 inches wide. Yard **69c**

$1.25 Serge Suiting—Chevron weave; correct weight and pure wool; for good hard service; staple shades and black; 54 inches wide. Yard **69c**

$1.00 Leutina Prunellas—Spot proof; black only, high, permanent finish; nothing dressier or more desirable. Yard.......... **69c**

SILKS

$1.25 Peau de Cygne—Black; 36 in. wide. Yd. **1.00**

$1.25 Taffeta—36 inches wide; black. Yard... **1.00**

$1.50 Peau de Soie—36 in. wide; black. Yard. **1.25**

75c Taffeta—Black and white check. Yard.... **59¢**

$1.25 Crepe de Chine—36 inches wide—with satin stripe. Yard.......... **75¢**

50c Silks—Sedo and Peau de Messaline. Yard .... **39¢**

39c Chiffon Pongee—27 inches wide. Yard.... **29¢**

WOMEN'S SHOES

$3.50 Calf Lace Shoes—Sizes 2½ to 4; A to E widths. Pair.......... **1.95**

$4.00 Patent Lace Shoes—Broken sizes and widths. Pair.......... **1.95**

$3.00 Kid Lace Shoes—Broken sizes and narrow widths. Pair.......... **1.69**

$2.50 Calf, Kid and Shiny Leather Shoes. Broken sizes. Pair.......... **1.29**

NECKWEAR

25c Linen Collars—Women's embroidered linen collars; new lot just received; in all sizes from 12 to 14½; 15 new and very desirable patterns to select from. Sale price **14c**

25c Neckwear—Including plain and fancy stocks in the military shape in all colors; lace and silk trimmed stocks; stocks with jabots, wash stocks, etc. Sale price **11c**

Fancy Neck Scarfs—We have marked our entire stock of scarfs at prices that will move them quickly; china silk and crepe effects; plain colors and Persian styles; divided into two lots:

Lot No. 1—Regular $1.25, $1.50 and $1.75 scarfs, for.......... **98¢**

Lot No. 2—Regular 75c and $1.00 scarfs, for .... **45¢**

JUVENILE APPAREL

$3.98 to $5.00 Coats—Small lot of Winter and medium weight coats; in popular models and shades; broken sizes. Each..... **1.98**

50c Sleeping Garments—In pink and blue striped flannel; soft and warm; some with feet; sizes 1 to 5 years. Each...... **37½c**

Girls' 89c Dresses—In plaid and check gingham; some dark and light grounds; very attractive; new spring models; sizes 2 to 6 years. Each **50c**

$1.50 to $1.75 Dresses—One of the daintiest of this season's models in stripes and plaid; good quality gingham and Hyde Grade galatea. Each **98c**

MEN AND WOMEN'S GLOVES

Women's $1.15 Gloves—Silk lined suede Gloves; pique sewn; Paris point backs; in tans and grays. Pair **79c**

Men's $1.00 and $1.50 Gloves—Mocha gloves—full pique in reindeer shade; also pique suede gloves in medium gray shades. Pair.... **65c**

BOYS' AND YOUNG MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS

Boys' Suits—Sizes 3 to 16 years; in Russian, sailor or double-breasted styles; fancy mixtures; perfect in style and fit. Regular price $3.00. Each **1.95**

Suits and Overcoats—Sizes 3 to 16 years; in good, warm wool mixtures; also plain colors and up-to-date styles. Regular price $4.00 each **2.95**

Suits and Overcoats—Suits in blue serge, fancy cheviots and cassimeres; overcoats—all styles in plain and fancy mixture; suits and coats in all sizes, 3 to 17 years. Regular price $5.00 and $6.00. Each.......... **3.95**

Suits and Overcoats—Suits in all wool serges, fancy Scotch cheviots and worsteds; overcoats—in all wool frieze, kerseys, chinchillas and fancy mixtures; suits and overcoats in all styles and sizes from 3 to 17 years. Regularly sold at $6.50 and $7.50. Each.......... **4.95**

CHILDREN'S LEGGINGS

$1.50 Jersey Leggings—Body lengths. Pair.... **89¢**

$1.25 Leather Leggings—Knee lengths. Pair.. **69¢**

GEN. UNDERSTANDING, MISS UNDERSTOOD, IN COURT MIXUP

Judge Understands Law—Misunderstood Woman Understood She Misunderstood.

UNDERSTANDING ON STAND

Understood Question at First, but Misunderstood That She Did Understand It.

THERE is a general understanding in the Dedham District Court, now that a witness who thinks she understood a question is to be regarded as understanding it.

But it was quite a tangle before this understanding was attained. It happened thus:

Mrs. Mary A. Schroeder of Westwood was testifying in a case in which Roland H. Ballou of Woonsocket was charged with assault and violation of the auto laws. Mrs. Schroeder was answering a string of questions by Attorney Horace D. Hardy.

Attorney G. G. Darling (interrupting): "Mrs. Schroeder, do you understand the question?"

Attorney Hardy: "Certainly she understood it."

Attorney Darling: "Mrs. Schroeder, did you understand the question?"

Sure She Understood.

Mrs. Schroeder: "Yes, I understood it."

Attorney Darling: "She misunderstood."

Attorney Hardy: "She understood."

Attorney Darling (suddenly): "Mrs. Schroeder, you didn't understand, did you?"

Mrs. Schroeder: "I guess I didn't."

Interval of argument between counsel.

Judge Grover: "I think, Mr. Darling, you misunderstood that she misunderstood."

Attorney Hardy (eagerly): "That's it, Your Honor; I understood that she understood, and she understood that she understood and did understand that she understood until Mr. Darling came in with his misunderstanding that she misunderstood; so now she doesn't know really whether she understood she understood or that she misunderstood when she thought she understood, or now understands that she misunderstood."

A Fresh Understanding.

Attorney Darling (hotly): "I'm right. I understood that she misunderstood when she answered the question, thinking she understood it when she, as a matter of fact, misunderstood what she thought she understood."

Judge Grover (sagely): "Hold on a moment. There seems to be a general misunderstanding now. What seems to be the trouble here is who is misunderstanding as to whether or not she understood or that she had misunderstood she had understood, or she had understood she had misunderstood, is now misunderstanding that she misunderstood when she understood, and did not misunderstand."

Attorney Hardy (wisely): "I will start all over again."

So they took a fresh start, and there was no further misunderstanding, as it were.

Oh, yes; the defendant was found guilty, was fined and appealed.

DOCTORS FAILED. RESTORED BY PERUNA.

Catarrh of the Lungs Threatened Her Life.

Miss Ninette Porter, Braintree, Vermont, writes: "I have been cured by Peruna.

"I had several hemorrhages of the lungs. The doctors did not help me much and would never have cured me.

"I saw a testimonial in a Peruna almanac of a case similar to mine, and I commenced using it.

"I was not able to wait on myself when I began using it. I gained very slowly at first, but I could see that it was helping me.

"After I had taken it a while I commenced to raise up a stringy, sticky substance from my lungs. This grew less and less in quantity as I continued the treatment.

"I grew more fleshy than I had been for a long time, and now I call myself well."

PECULATIONS FOR 15 YEARS AT SOUTHBRIDGE BANK NOW HINTED

Experts Say Skilful Manipulation of Figures Is Shown; Town Fund Examined.

SOUTHBRIDGE, Jan. 29.—That systematic, skilful peculations have gone on for fifteen years in the Southbridge Savings Bank was the declaration of a prominent Southbridge banker to-night. He said that the total shortage would be found one of the largest on record.

Both Bank Examiner James D. Otis and Expert Robert Campbell, who is examining the funds of the Town of Southbridge, said to-night that in their opinion John A. Hall, the savings bank treasurer who is under $50,000 bail to answer to a charge of larceny, was the most skilful manipulator of figures they have ever known. The tracks of the defaulter were methodically concealed and the experts doubt if the exact amount of the bank's losses will ever be known.

Former Treasurer Hall seems to have managed the bank altogether, and the president and trustees appear to have been secondary. Hall also handled the town sewer assessments and made no report, although one was repeatedly asked for. In ten years the total collections were $200,000. An expert report as to the condition of these funds will be made Monday.

George A. Gaskill, Hall's lawyer, also promises a statement then, and early in the week a partial statement will be made as to the bank's affairs.

Confer at Hall's Home.

Charles F. Choate, Jr., counsel for the bank, President Calvin D. Paige and Bank Examiner James E. Otis had a long conference at Hall's home to-day and afterwards Paige and Otis went to Boston. If his physical condition permits, Hall will go to the bank Monday and go over its affairs with the officials concerned.

President Paige gave the depositors new hope to-night by declaring that the bank probably would resume business after the investigation which led to the arrest of former Treasurer Hall on the charge of larceny of $21,000 of the bank's funds. He would not say, however, how much the bank's loss would probably exceed the $150,000 estimated during the week.

"Until we know the facts we can do nothing," he said. "But it will have to be a very big sum to make our bank go into the hands of a receiver. I believe we will be able to weather it. I know that the depositors feel that the bank can resume and we will do all that any human agency can to bring this old bank back on its feet."

This will be good news to the hundreds of depositors who have been led to believe during the week that a receivership would be necessary. These depositors include many of the thousands of employes of the American Optical Company—French, Greeks, Armenians and some Americans—who have their small savings tied up in the bank.

Nest Eggs Affected.

South Framingham! Southbridge! Wellesley! Next! Just a little matter of somewhere between one and two millions gone from the first named; $100,000 to six times that sum from the second, and probably $20,000 from Wellesley.

Bank Commissioner Chapin admits that some of these things have taken place and is looking into a number of others. All of which goes to largely justify the growing belief in Southbridge that John A. Hall never got away with one-fifth of the bank's deposits without somebody else having full cognizance of it. And it is certain that the officers of the savings bank are convicted in the minds of 99 per cent of their depositors of a complacence which could be criticised.

Especially true is the bitter criticism beginning to be heard more and more of the auditing committee's work. And how about the Bank Commissioner's examiners? Where have they been? This latter question is easily answered by a printed statement more than a year old which Bank Commissioner Chapin handed to the Sunday American when he was asked this question.

In a few words it says "the real examination of a savings bank is not up to us; it is up to the auditing committee of the savings bank."

Three Financial Leaders.

Three of Southbridge's corner stones are the American Optical Company, the Southbridge National Bank and the Southbridge Savings Bank.

Look at the officials of the three concerns. The American Optical Company has George W. Wells for its president, and he is also president of the Southbridge National Bank. The rest of the officials follow:

American Optical Company—Treasurer, Albert H. Wells, son of the president and one of Hall's bondsmen; clerk, J. Cheney Wells; directors, Channing Wells and Henry C. Cady, with the officers ex-officio.

Southbridge National Bank—President, George W. Wells; cashier and treasurer, F. L. Chapin; directors, H. S. Cheney, C. M. Wells, J. E. Paige, G. W. Wells, C. D. Paige, F. L. Chapin, John A. Hall.

MRS JOHN A. HALL

JOHN A. HALL

Southbridge Savings Bank—Clerk, John A. Hall (alleged defaulter); president, Calvin D. Paige; vice-presidents, C. W. Hill, S. Williams, J. M. Cochran; trustees, C. D. Paige, George W. Wells, S. Williams, J. M. Cochran, C. F. Hill, F. L. Chapin, C. W. Hill, G. C. Winter, H. C. Cady, C. M. Wells, L. E. Bradley, C. W. Johnson, H. S. Cheney, W. C. Lewis, W. Whittemore, J. E. Paige, A. B. Wells; auditors, C. F. Hill, C. W. Johnson, G. C. Winter; board of investment, C. D. Paige, F. L. Chapin, George W. Wells, C. M. Wells, H. S. Cheney.

President Paige of the savings bank, perhaps more than any other official, has kept Southbridge calm during its present trial. Always a leader there, inheriting a large fortune and through a long and busy life making it bigger and retaining the confidence of his townsmen, his words of assurance have had a wonderful effect.

He talked freely about the situation to a Sunday American reporter and expressed the belief that expert examination of savings institutions must be made compulsory without delay. He said he understood that Bank Commissioner Chapin is ready to have such a law introduced. Treasurer F. L. Chapin, the shrewd, stout, clear-eyed little New England man of close to sixty, who is rated not far from $1,000,000 himself, is in total agreement with President Paige.

"No Place For Sentiment."

"Trouble is we should have done it long, long ago," he says. "I wanted it, but some of 'em thought they knew more about it than I did."

Mr. Chapin has the reputation among Southbridge folk of being a hard man in business, but none of them ever even hints that any of the i's and t's in his accounts as treasurer of the National Bank are undotted or uncrossed. Not with him.

"It seems too bad to see a fine chap like Hall going wrong. It is pretty hard on his mother and father, his wife and children," suggested a Sunday American reporter to Mr. Chapin, as the bank matter was talked over.

"That is all right as sentiment," he said curtly, "but sentiment has no place in the banking business. There are other fathers and mothers and wives and families in this town besides ours, and we owe them a stern, strict duty."

"What are you going to do in a savings bank if one of the officials sets out to steal?" asked President Paige of the Sunday American reporter. Before consenting to talk of the bank's affairs, Mr. Paige, who has been unjustly criticised by his fellow bank officials for talking too much when he has not talked at all, called in Mr. Chapin.

"We shall do all that is humanly possible to get out of this mess," he said. "I cannot say how bad it is. No, I cannot say if it is $100,000 or $500,000. What is the sense of a bank official making a statement which the figures of the experts will quickly show to be right or wrong?

"Committee's Don't Audit."

"I believe the people of Southbridge are looking at this thing in the right spirit. They know we are doing all that can be done. It is not as if our securities were questionable. There are in the vaults nearly $2,500,000 of gilt-edged securities, not a wildcat among them. They are worth $50,000 more than their book value; we have about $130,000 in our guarantee fund and Hall's bond of $20,000. That makes $50,000, $130,000 and $20,000 against whatever he has taken, or a total of $200,000. On that showing it would take a very big defalcation to put us out of business.

The possibility of what has happened in Southbridge has long been known to all who have anything to do with savings banks. It was this which Commissioner Chapin had in mind a year ago when he issued a circular of instruction to his examiners. After first telling how a savings bank should constitute its auditing committee and how important it is for that committee to get experts—even if they cost something—when the members are not competent to smell into the dark financial places themselves, he tells his examiners that if the auditing committees fail to act it is none of their business.

Here is what the circular says on this point:

EXTENT OF AUDIT.

When the examiners of this department visit a savings bank, they inquire whether the various provisions of the law have been complied with, and verify the condition of the bank as shown by its books on the day of their visit. **They make no attempt to audit its transactions since the preceding examination. It is this important work which the law contemplates that auditing committees shall do,** and the suggestions on the following pages have been prepared for their assistance. These suggestions are not to be considered as in any way a requirement of this department. **On the contrary, the responsibility of deciding what constitutes a thorough audit of their institution must be assumed by the trustees of each bank, and their auditing committee should be instructed accordingly.**

And if the auditing committee took things for granted and on the theory that "John is honest" or "John's word goes," let John get away, who's going to foot the bills?

"It does not seem fair that these poor people who have their money in the bank should lose it through the neglect of the officials of the bank," said the proprietor of one of the town's drugshops. "They ought to make it up."

New Laws Needed.

But under the law no trustee of a savings bank is liable to make up anything. The law provides that 5 per cent. of all deposits first be set aside from earnings before any dividends are paid to depositors; then there is such a surplus as comes from unearned increment in enhancement of security values and the bonds of such faithless official as there may be. Beyond that the savings bank depositors in this State, where the laws seemed to give them and their boards absolute protection, have no guarantee.

Were it the Southbridge National Bank, owned by the same few families (or controlled by them) each stockholder would have to dig into his jeans for an amount equal to his stock holding. But nothing like that obtains in the savings bank side of the building.

The Southbridge Bank affair is almost certain to bring about quick and sharp amendments to the laws—unless indeed there be savings bank officials with pull enough in Beacon Hill circles to keep such experts off their tracks until they can run to cover. **But expert examination regardless of notice to officials, by total and qualified strangers as part of a compulsory law is inevitable now.**

GIRL SAVED IN FIRE AT BEACONSFIELD HOTEL ANNEX

Two Members of Brookline Department Prove Heroes in a Dangerous Blaze.

FROM a room filled with fire and smoke and while burning sparks and heavy pieces of roofing were raining around them, Fireman John O'Neil and Captain William Stitt of the Brookline fire department rescued Miss Ellen White from the second story of the Beaconsfield annex and carried her down a ladder to safety. The unconscious young lady was carried to the hotel, where she revived. O'Neil staked his life to save that of the young woman.

Fire started in the attic of the annex to the fashionable hotel in Beacon street, Brookline, at 7:30 last night from an overheated chimney. It had gained headway before being discovered and the fifteen men and women servants quartered there only knew their danger when they smelled the smoke which rolled down filling the two-story building in a moment.

Just across the Regean Circle in which the annex stands were $300,000 worth of automobiles in the Beaconsfield Garage. Great stores of gasoline in cans presented a greater menace and, as the sparks from the burning building were falling upon the garage, a great rush was made to get all the automobiles and the gasoline cans to places of safety.

Fire Causes a Panic.

When the fire was discovered wild alarm spread among the occupants of the annex. All but Miss White fled to safety. She is a waitress in the hotel nearby and she had gone to her room for rest at 5 o'clock and was asleep when the alarm was sounded.

For a time the excitement among the 200 guests in the main hotel kept the management busy, but Manager Whitney soon reassured them. By this time Miss White was remembered. No one could find her and then she was seen standing at a front window in a dazed condition from the clouds of smoke which filled her room.

Fireman O'Neil, when the girl was seen to totter and fall back into her room, dashed into the main doorway of the old fashioned wooden building which one time long ago was a handsome dwelling. Twice walls of smoke drove him back.

Finds Girl on the Floor.

A third time he made a desperate attempt and disappeared in the smoke-choked hallway. He felt his way to the stairs and up to the girl's room. Miss White was lying on the floor unconscious. O'Neil managed to drag her to the window just as Captain Stitt climbed up the ladder which had been hoisted.

The young woman was carried out just as the whole top of the house broke into a seething sheet of flame. The two electric fire engines of the Brookline department were on the scene and the firemen by desperate efforts managed to flood the fire out by 9:15 o'clock. The loss on the house, the whole upper part of which was destroyed, is estimated at $1,500. The loss in personal property to the servants who lived on the second floor to the annex is estimated at $1,000 more.

WIFE IS STILL TRUANT.

Husband Who Forgave Eloper Gets Another Disappointment.

BROCKTON, Jan. 29.—After a day spent in watching the passengers from every incoming Montreal train at North Station in Boston, Wallace Torrey returned to his home here to-night sick at heart and discouraged.

The wife who had written for forgiveness after having gone away with another man, and had been forgiven, did not appear on the train she had wired him to meet, nor on any train. Torrey said to-night that he believes she never will come.

William Ellingwood, the other man, has been released from the hospital in Montreal, where he was taken after he shot himself following a quarrel with Mrs. Torrey.

During his days in the hospital she was with him almost constantly but also during that time she wrote her husband asking to be allowed to come home.

TWO-FARE EXTORTION IS STILL WORKED BY "L" IN DUDLEY ST. PUZZLE

AT least fifty persons paid double fares in the Dudley street terminal during the rush hours between 4:30 and 7 o'clock last night and about 200 times that number wandered around aimlessly until they were guided to their proper places by kindly passengers or one of the many attendants provided by the company.

The terminal is still a labyrinth, growing slightly worse with each "improvement" instituted by the company. On the "East loop," "upper level" there is considerable danger to life and limb because of the congested conditions and because of the nearness of the car tracks to the platform.

It is about this loop, where those taking Dorchester, Grove Hall, Warren street and Blue Hill avenue cars, that the gravest complaints are made. It is the busiest part of the elevated structure and yet thousands who seek it are confined in the smallest space in the entire building. The platform is hardly more than six feet deep and thirty feet long. And on this rickety structure the Elevated is taking out an average of more than 15,000 passengers an hour in the busy part of the day.

Women Trampled in Rush.

Men and women stepped on each other in their frantic efforts to get into (or to) a car. While the hordes were being emptied from the cars more persons than already could be crowded on the platforms were waiting for them.

Six guards were stationed there to help keep order, but they simply took up room. One man with a megaphone called out to the crowds where their car was coming. "Dorchester the fifth in the rear, Blue Hill avenue next; Norfolk street," and so on; and at each yell from his megaphone there was a stampede of the crowd attempting to fight its way through the mass in front to the part of the platform where the car rolled in.

Double Fares Extorted.

It is on the lower level that the trouble about double fares exists. Passengers arriving from the heart of the city are poured out on the east side, where they may continue in a southerly direction or on any of the cross town lines. So far, this is quite satisfactory. Persons, however, who arrive from Dorchester, or Milton or any place in the same section, are dropped on the west side of the surface enclosure, there to wait for their cars. Their cars now run on that side—cars bound north and northerly—but previously they were found on the other side. A kindly turnstile assists the force of habit and allows one to go on the east side of the inclosure. Once there, they can not get back. It takes another nickel to open the gates.

Another evil which causes considerable trouble is the new method of admission to the car lines from the Washington and Warren street entrances. Previously one paid a fare and once in could take a car in any direction. Conditions are now so complex that many persons pay their fare at the north-bound gate to find they wanted south-bound cars, and vice versa.

Woman Broke, Has to Beg Nickel.

Miss Jessie Maxwell of Wakefield was one of the victims of this situation. After waiting for almost half an hour and walking enough to bring her to her destination, which was the North station, she was obliged to pay another fare. She did not even get a ride for her first nickel.

Another girl, bound for the South station, made the same error. She did not have another nickel with her and had to beg it from a kindly stranger.

David Rogers of No. 14 Oak Grove terrace, Roxbury, paid one fare, got into the South bound side of the lower level and then had to pay a second fare to get into town. The instances were more numerous than any one man could see, but one man counted fifty in three hours.

The Chinese puzzle feature of the station is getting worse rather than better. The station is certainly ingenious. It is possible to start at any one point in the hunt for another and invariably to return to the starting place or else find oneself on the wrong side of the turnstile.

It is time for the Transit Commission and the Railroad Commission to ACT.

HOT A. O. H. FIGHT IN TAUNTON TO-DAY

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Jan. 29.—The biggest fight in the history of the Ancient Order of Hibernians in this section, a fight which has resulted in the suspension of the entire division 10 of this town, will be taken up to-morrow by the county board at a special meeting in Taunton.

The split was caused by the suspension of President Henry Reynolds of Division 10. President Brady of the county board suspended him for insubordination and placed vice-President Louis McCarthy in the chair. President Reynolds would not accept the suspension and called a special meeting of the division. He was again elected president by those who attended and was installed. County President Brady then suspended the whole division of 200 men and placed an attachment on the $3,000 funds of the division.

A special meeting was called by President Reynolds for Friday night last, but President Brady got there first. He sent Deputy Sheriff John Metcalf and some men there with an attachment on the hall and furniture and when the members got there they were told they could not enter. They went to Columbus Hall and held their meeting there. Incidentally, in some mysterious way, they got hold of the books.

At this meeting a committee was chosen to fight the case of the division in the courts. Former Mayor Hugh Carroll of Pawtucket was engaged as counsel and a lively fight is promised in the March term of court in Taunton when the case comes up.

The County Board has not been idle. It has hired Judge Wood of Taunton to handle the legal end of their case and is making preparations to prevent the division from getting back into the hall or obtaining control of the $3,000.

DRACUT WAGE DISPUTE.

LOWELL, Jan. 29.—Loom fixers of the Merrimack Woolen Mills, in Dracut, are in dispute with the mill officials over a cut in their wages of two hours' pay weekly. The loom fixers say this is the only mill that has cut wages because of the reduction of hours, which went into effect on January 1. As woolen loom fixers are scarce, if the trouble should continue, some inconvenience might be experienced by the mill to get competent help.

FILES BILL TO AID BOSTON POLICEMEN

One of the bills filed at the State House, the fate of which will be watched eagerly by all of the members of the Boston police force, is aimed to afford an appeal from the finding of the trial board before which accused policemen appear. As the law stands now the findings Commissioner, is final.

The bill was filed by William R. Scharton, a Boston lawyer, and is labelled House Bill No. 1088. In reference to his bill Mr. Scharton said:

"The bill is aimed to give the police officers of Boston the opportunity enjoyed by the police of New York. The police commissioner now has the last word. There is no appeal. The commissioner appoints a trial board of police captains to hear evidence on charges against patrolmen. This board is apt to have prejudices. The police commissioner has never been known to reverse their finding or judgment. Sometimes he makes the punishment even stronger than that recommended by the trial board.

"The policeman who is punished ought to have some board of appeal, with legal training, to review the case and pass on matters of fact and law. In New York a court of appeal has reversed the decision of police superiors and reinstated discharged police officers with back pay for the time they were out of the department."

BISHOP LAWRENCE RESTS.

Head of Episcopal Diocese with Wife in New York.

After a hard Winter's work Bishop Lawrence has gone to New York in the hope of a respite from his diocesan duties. Mrs. Lawrence is with him. While the Bishop is resting he will fill several engagements in Gotham and after that will make several visits to friends in Pennsylvania. Bishop and Mrs. Lawrence will come home just before Ash Wednesday.

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And These Are Not All by Any Means

DADMUN LAYS FALL TO TARDINESS OF HIS DEBTORS

"If They Had Paid Their Bills I Might Not Have Had to Take Wellesley Cash."

CLARENCE H. DADMUN, who confessed to a shortage of $7,200 in his accounts as tax collector of the town of Wellesley, says it wouldn't have happened if his debtors had been more considerate.

"I have been careless, that's all," says Dadmun, "and I am ready to take my medicine."

Dadmun is a Wellesley contractor and builder. He has been held in $7,500 bonds for the April Grand Jury.

The former tax collector (the selectmen have given his place to John T. Ryan) is a bachelor. He had just returned from a visit to his mother and sister in Dorchester, yesterday, when a Sunday American reporter met him.

"Well," said Dadmun, "a man in my position ought not to say much, and doesn't want to say much. But I have made a clean breast of it, and I don't mind saying that, the way I look at it, the business man who handles lots of money which is not his own is open to terrible temptation.

"I have nothing to say by way of justification, and I do not plead for sympathy, but I have been guilty of gross carelessness. I was altogether too confident that my debtors would pay their bills within a decent period. I may have been too lenient with them.

Face Great Temptation.

"Perhaps I am not 'cold' enough for success in modern business. I don't know. I do know that if they had responded on time I might not have been in this unfortunate position. The man who needs money, whose debtors will not come to time, and who can put his hands in his pocket and touch the money of other people, is suffering a temptation that few will comprehend who have not experienced it. 'I will use this money temporarily,' he is apt to say, 'only temporarily; and when my debtors respond I can replace it.'"

"Would you venture advice to other young men who handle other people's money?" Dadmun was asked.

"No," said the young man. "I haven't the face to pose as an adviser. If you want to say anything for me, say I am deeply grateful for the expressions of confidence that come to me from my old friends and townsmen. The only sunshine in my life for the past few days was the knowledge that I had these sympathizers."

Dadmun's reputation in Wellesley was of the highest until official announcement was made of his downfall and the young man owned up. Even now the best people of the town feel for him. On Friday night he was publicly remembered at the regular weekly prayer meeting of the Congregational Church.

Stayed to Face Music.

The collector lived at the home of E. P. Parker, in Central street.

"There is scarcely a man in Wellesley," Parker said, "who will not say a good word for Dadmun. In my opinion, his trouble was brought about by his carelessness in keeping accounts. He knew that this was coming, knew it for three weeks, and he might have run away. There is the great redeeming feature of the case. His manner has shown to his friends and to the world that he had no serious intention of defrauding the town. I fully agree with him that if he had been able to get in all his own bad bills he would not be where he is to-day."

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BUTLER AMES, THE MAN WHO WANTS LODGE'S PLACE IS A FIGHTER

BUTLER AMES

BUTLER AMES of Lowell, who wants Henry Cabot Lodge's seat in the Senate at Washington, and who has been stirring up the animals by advertising his wants at the State House, is thirty-nine years old. Lodge came out of Harvard College at twenty-one, on his way to the Law School, about the time that Ames came into the world.

Ames came into the world with a chip on his shoulder. It is still there. His father, General Adelbert Ames, was made a major for gallantry at Bull Run. Getting sick and tired of peace, along about 1870, Adelbert had himself elected United States Senator from the "reconstructed" State of Mississippi. "Reconstructed" means that the free blacks were allowed to vote and have their ballots counted. That meant trouble, and Adelbert thrived and fattened. He got up a little more excitement by quitting the Senate to be elected Governor of Mississippi. Then there were outrages and murders, and Adelbert called on Grant for troops. Grant wouldn't let him have them and the Mississippians had him impeached. Governor Ames of Mississippi (born in Maine) resigned within the year.

That's some fighting, is it not?

Yes, it is not; not when you've heard the other side.

Ben Butler His Grandfather.

Butler Ames's mother was Blanche Butler. Her father was Benjamin F. Butler. Let us hope there isn't anybody in the congregation this morning ho hasn't "hern tell" of Ben Butler. Wow! Ben Butler! Wow! Wow!—Wow! Wow! Wow!

Ben Butler never let go. He began to run for Governor as early as 1859. He wasn't elected until 1882. Talk about your fighters! At the opening of the Civil War he went out with the Eighth Massachusetts. In 1862 he took New Orleans. He armed the free black. Jeff Davis proclaimed him an outlaw and put a price on his head.

Ben Butler fought the Johnny Rebs days and nights and Sundays, and when it come rain he used to start something with the Union lines. He fought with two or three superior officers, had a command or two taken away from him, came home on recruiting service and fought with Governor Andrew. In '71 he was the Republican candidate for Governor, eight years later the Democratic candidate (this makes three defeats), and finally got there, in '82, to be turned down again in '83.

The young man who shocked and horrified and possibly scandalized the staid, conservative and exclusive Union Club this week by spilling open a vulgar political campaign within the walls of its cloister-like clubhouse is something of a scrapper himself.

A West Point Man.

Butler Ames went to Phillips Exeter because Ben Butler had been an Exeter lad. He went to West Point because Adelbert Ames went to West Point. He went into the Army because they had both gone into the Army. He quit because there wasn't any fighting to be done. He was appointed to the Eleventh United States Infantry, but it didn't take. About all the Indians in war paint in those days were out with Colonel "Buffalo Bill" Cody and Major Burke, so Butler came home to the Institute of Technology.

"Tech" made him a mechanical and electrical engineer. He kept in training by going to the Legislature.

At that moment the Spanish War broke out, and our young hero broke out with it. Rapidly surrounding himself with the Sixth Massachusetts Volunteers, and taking General Miles along, he started for Cuba and Porto Rico. He is the tenth man from the left in moving pictures of the "Landing at Guana" and the "Skirmish in Yauco Road."

After that there was nothing to it but Congress.

Rough-Housing Union Club.

And so to-day we find him, boys and girls, boldly invading a Home for Gentlemen at Their Ease, rough-housing the Union Club, by fetching in an assorted lot of Beacon Hill statesmen, fresh every day.

Is he going to get away with it? Well, as Jumbo said when he turned around and looked at his footprint in the mud of Washington street, that remains to be seen. It is going to take something more than luncheon (a dinner, anyhow) before Beacon Hill gets what you could call "reel enthusiastic."

It wants to be remembered, however, that the Ames-Butler blood is as good in business and finance as it is in War. Butler Ames is a New England financier. Mr. Lodge comes up for re-election in the Legislature of next year, not this year. Ben Butler, as has been observed, never let go; and at this stage of the game Butler Ames isn't letting go; not so's you could notice it.

They were telling around the State House yesterday that "Dick" Howe is the field marshal of the Ames campaign. This was also denied yesterday, although Dick Howe has been down from Haverhill quite a lot recently and has been seen in converse with State Senator Arthur L. Nason of his town. Senator Nason admits that he is Mr. Ames's friend in the State Senate. Nason was elected in an anti-Lodge campaign.

Pilots Seeing Ames Parties.

Nason has piloted each and all of the Seeing Ames parties that have gone down to the Union Club from the State House.

The Seeing Ames folks leave the Union Club elevator at the third floor and steer straight for Parlor B. Most of them have stopped near the elevator to study a fine old engraving, "Wellington and Blucher Meeting After the Battle of Waterloo."

"Waterloo? Waterloo? To be sure. Nason says it's going to be Napoleon Lodge's Waterloo. However that may be, it's a fine engraving. There they are, the celebrated old scouts, seated on their bosses, and Gebhard a burying of h s mitt in the right 'and of Harthur, and heverybody cheerin' loike mad. My eye! In to-night's performance Mr. Butler Ames represents Arthur Wellesley, first Duke of Wellington. Who, shall we say, impersonates G. Lebrecht Blucher? Arthur Nason? Dick Howe? Let us not say, brother, at this time. Rather let us pass on.

When Ames came to town and opened his boomlet within the sacred walls of the Union Club everybody said, Wasn't that just like Ben Butler's grandson.

Congressman Ames chose to open fire on Henry Cabot Lodge from the peace and quiet of the Union Club because the clubhouse, originally the home of Abbott Lawrence, is within a stone's throw of the State House, and because the club has ever and always been the young Congressman's home when in Boston. Also, because Butler Ames is Butler Ames.

The chances are that Mr. Ames never stopped to consider how his club fellows might feel about it. Some of them are comfortably close to the Lodge machine. Some of them are parts of it. To name only a few, they include Governor Eben Sumner Draper, Lieutenant-Governor Louis Adams Frothingham, United States Senator Winthrop Murray Crane, United States Marshal Guy Murchie, Highway Commissioners William Davies Sohier and Harold Parker, Chairman Frederic Perry Fish of the Board of Education, Melvin Ohio Adams, former District Attorney Arthur Dehon Hill, Police Commissioner Stephen O'Meara, Congressman Frederick Huntington Gillett and Congressman Charles Gresill Washburn.

The Union is the home club of the rockers, the Coolidges, the Bowditches, the Lowells, the Mandells and the Pierces. It is the club of William Whitman, king of woolens. Theodore N. Vail of the telephone is also at home here whenever he comes over from New York.

Butler Ames paled perceptibly the other night when some moralist hinted at the scandal.

"'Pon my word," said Ben Butler's grandson, "I never thought of it in that light. Of course, it will never do."

And just as quickly the Butler part of him came to the surface.

"What's the harm?" he asked. "A gentleman has a right to receive his friends, I should hope, in a private dining room at his own club. Anyhow, I am going back to Washington Friday night, and it won't happen again."

Some of the gentlemen whom Butler met this week in Parlor B, on the third floor of the exclusive Union, were:

Tuesday—Senators Blanchard of Somerville, Prentiss Parker of Boston, Keith of Bridgewater, Rockwood of Franklin and Nason of Haverhill.

Wednesday—Senators Pickford of Worcester, Abbott of Boston, Mellen of Worcester, White of Tisbury, Turner of Fall River, Rankin of Taunton and Nason of Haverhill. Also an evening delegation from the House, led by Representative Freeman O. Emerson of Boston. Emerson was in the Legislature with Ames in '97.

Thursday—Senator Dennett of Worcester, Representatives Ellis of Yarmouth, Holmgren of Worcester, Robinson of Chelsea and Willetts of Fall River, Postmaster Louis S. Cox of Lawrence (in the Ames district) and the inevitable Senator Nason of Haverhill.

Menu for a Light Lunch.

One of the guests has compiled from memory the menu of one of the Ames luncheons. He says it was like this.

Cocktails.

Oysters on the half shell. Clam Chowder

Halibut in some form.

Steins of Lager.

Roast Rib of Beef.

Potatoes. Onions. Spaghetti.

Ice Cream. Demi tasse. Cigars.

"And the fine thing about it was," said one House man, "that he didn't ask anybody to declare himself. He simply wanted to meet us, he said, to say that he had searched in vain for somebody else to make the fight against Lodge that he feels has got to be made and that in this extremity he offers himself. He says nobody likes Lodge and that Lodge ought to be retired."

"What do you think about it yourself?" this man was asked.

"What? Me? Well, I find lots of criticism of the Senator and a sort of feeling against him in the Legislature. I cannot find as yet, however, that this means support of the young man from Lowell."

A reporter for the American went down to the Union Club from the State House to see for himself. He was late for luncheon, but he found Butler Ames as accessible as the star of a light opera company who has just lost her diamond tarara.

Like a Proud Father.

Pleased? O, ever so much! Happy? Happy as you were back in kidland, over that first pair of long-legged boots with the red tops. Yes, happier than that. Happy as the grown-up who has just heard from the inner room that "it's a boy." That's the way he acted—like a proud father.

You know what a proud father does. "Have a cigar," said Butler Ames.

"I am not announcing my candidacy for Senator Lodge's place," Mr. Ames said, "because I do not find that it needs announcement. Later on, of course, I may announce it formally.

"It's just like this—Lodge has got to go. Everybody agrees to that. Judging from the success of my preliminary canvasses he is unpopular here at home. And in Washington! Just ask them! Really, I think that would be a fine stunt, to take a poll of the House and Senate at Washington on Lodge.

In Battle to Finish.

"I have given the matter careful study, and I am in the battle to a finish. I realize that the senatorship is not to be disposed of until next year, but I am beginning now because usually one-half of this year's Legislature comes back to the next. Lodge, as far as that goes, began more than a year ago."

"They say at the State House," he was told, "that you have been saying something about 'Democratic' support."

"And why not," Ames wanted to know.

"Well," he was told, "I thought the senatorship contest might be decided in Republican caucus."

"It might," said Ames, "and it might not. One ought to be glad of support from whatever source. I have always had Democratic support up in the Fifth District, where, you may recall, there were only two votes against me last year in the Democratic convention."

Then he steamed up again.

"As far as that goes," he said, "it will ill become Lodge to talk about getting strength from the Democrats. There are men still alive who recall that when Lodge first tried for a Congress nomination, back in 1882, he was beaten on the 130th ballot by Elisha S. Converse of Malden, and that somebody pointed out to the Democrats the availability of Henry B. Lovering, then Mayor of Lynn. Lovering, with the aid of Republican factionists, beat Deacon Converse in the November elections and became so strong that when Lodge beat him (in 1884) it was by only 702 votes. If anybody is in a position to criticize the use of Democratic support in this contest it certainly isn't Henry Cabot Lodge."

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HIBBARD, ALDERMEN, BURY HATCHET AT GOOD-BY FEAST

Mayor Smiling Host as Dove of Peace Flits About the Banquet Table.

MAYOR HIBBARD never began to suspect what a surprising good fellow he is until he listened to compliments galore at the banquet he gave at the Hotel Bellevue last night to the 1909 Board of Aldermen.

The fact that some of the members of the outgoing board had been at swords-points with the Mayor most of the past two years—"Matt" Hale, for instance, has hardly spoken to him since that assessor row—detracted not a whit from the soft words of this farewell banquet.

The uninterrupted flight of the dove of peace around the banquet hall was never marred by recollection that not a solitary one of the aldermanic guests had supported the Mayor in his late lamented campaign for re-election.

"Pax" was the watchword last night and they "paxed" to the amiable limit.

The menu was:

Bluepoints

Soup

Salmon Roast Duck

Banana Fritters

Ice Cream French Pudding

Crackers Cheese

Coffee

Alderman Brand was toastmaster as Chairman of the Board. It was singularly appropriate that Brand should preside at this tomahawk burial because, next to Hale, he has been the most consistent opponent of his host in City Hall matters.

It was an object lesson in "bygones-be-bygones" to hear Brand praise the Mayor. "Mat" Hale, not to be outdone, said the Mayor had the happy faculty of doing just the right thing at the right time.

Mayor Beams on All.

"Tom" Giblin alluded cheerfully to his own and his host's defeat for re-election, by saying: "We are prophets without honor, but we are not dead ones yet."

Giblin also told what a lot the Mayor had done for East Boston and hoped Mayor-elect Fitzgerald would do as much.

"Jimmy" White, secretary to Mayor Hibbard, allowed that the thing he most regretted about his own coming departure from City Hall was that he would cease to see "Jim Curley's exhibition—the suspended city employes whom Curley wants put back to work."

That genial remark didn't feaze Curley a bit. A few moments later Curley observed: "Mayor Hibbard would have fared better if he had catered to a lot of good fellows like himself instead of to a lot of phoney reformers."

Other speakers continued in the complimentary vein, while the Mayor's smile became a near-grin. When Mayor Hibbard himself stood up to respond, absolute silence was commanded, owing to the serious condition of His Honor's throat. In a faint voice the Mayor said in part:

"My attitude toward Mr. Fitzgerald is the same now as it always was. I am ready, so far as it lies in my power, to make his path easy for the new Mayor. Mr. Fitzgerald has it in him to give a fine administration. After all, the interests of the city is paramount to the interests of any individual man who might wish to be Mayor."

Alderman Balantyne—who had been introduced as the "President of the new City Council, perhaps"—sang some Lauder imitations.

"Jim" Curley made Alderman Cotton stand up with him and sing "Down by the Tan Yard Side."

Clerk of Committees John E. Dever carolled "Clementine" in dulcet voice.

The whole bunch joined in singing the "Stein" song and other favorites. Some one struck up "Sweet Adeline," which is Mayor-elect Fitzgerald's official campaign tune. They nearly raised the roof singing it.

Then they sang "Auld Lang Syne" and broke up.

There was a note of sadness in the evening's harmony. It was for Alderman "Dan" Donnelly, who died during office. A silent toast was offered to the memory of "The Honest Blacksmith."

Colder To-day, But Yesterday Holds Hot Record In 19 Years

Storm That Blew Up From Georgia Steers Away to the Northeast.

SUNDAY: Fair; somewhat colder; moderate westerly winds, diminishing.

MONDAY: Fair.

Mr. Smith refused to commit himself as to the No Beef crusade, but he did say last night that yesterday was the hottest January 29 that he could find on the Boston records back to 1891. The minimum was 32 degrees above zero; the maximum, 40.

The 32 figure was quoted on the ticker at 6 o'clock in the morning. Then Boston began to read Mr. Hunnewell's letter, about getting "every cent it is possible to obtain," and up she went. The maximum for the day was reached at 8 p. m., just as the beef folks were getting ready to go home. None of these things was denied at the Weather Bureau.

The storm that gave Boston bootblacks a holiday yesterday came up from Georgia. It left its Southern home Friday night, moved up along the coast yesterday, and at last accounts was still headed north easterly. No snow was reported except in the Central Western States and in Western New England. Hartford, Springfield, and some of the Vermont towns, sent word of light flurries. There was no cold snap anywhere and, Mr. Smith said, no storm in sight.

The rainfall was a moderate little thing. It amounted to 65-100 of an inch.

RABBI CRITICIZES TAFT.

Declares He and Roosevelt "Are Not Christian Men."

"President Taft and ex-President Roosevelt are not Christians. They are infidels, despite the fact that Taft calls himself a Unitarian and Roosevelt claims he is a member of the Dutch Reformed Church." So said Rabbi Edward B. N. Browne of the Mishkan Tefila Temple in a sermon yesterday at the Blue Hill avenue synagogue. He attacked the administration of Roosevelt as one which caused a spirit of sport, levity and immorality to substitute the earnest and dignified character of the McKinley administration.

"Roosevelt told me in 1883," said the rabbi, "that he was no Christian. He was not seen in church Sundays, nor did he rear his children as Christians. When Miss Alice, now Mrs. Longworth, visited Newport in the Summer of 1904 she was the talk of 'society' for not going to church Sundays.

"President Taft cannot be blamed for being a Unitarian; but we must blame him for being a hypocrite, because, being a Unitarian, during his campaign he attended every Sunday the St. John's Episcopal Church (Trinitarian) at Warm Springs, and was careful to let the world know it."

Mickey Gannon Is Beaten.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—Leo Houck, the clever lightweight from Lancaster, proved his right to be ranked among the best in his class by scoring a surprising victory over Mickey Gannon in a bout to-night at the National A. C. which went the limit of six rounds. While Gannon had weight over Houck, the boy from the land of the red roses showed his mastery from the start.

OKLAHOMA CHARGES HIT GOV. HASKELL

Accusations Filed With Legislature in Move for a State Investigation.

GUTHRIE, Okla., Jan. 29.—The Republican members of the Legislature now in special session to-day opened the campaign for a thorough investigation of departments under the present Democratic State administration, when Representative Lester A. Maris of Ponca City, representing the Republican caucus and the State organization, filed with the House Investigation Committee numerous charges, involving Governor C. N. Haskell, members of the State Building Board and others.

Governor C. N. Haskell, as executive of the State, is charged with mismanagement of public funds and with wilfully and designedly authorizing their misappropriation. These charges are enumerated in full, including the payment by Haskell of $3,140.86 to C. A. Lawler, a private detective of Oklahoma City, out of money appropriated by the Legislature for investigating old territorial accounts, for expenses of delegates to national conferences and for use in emergency cases.

MORGAN RICHES FOR LABOR.

Financier's Daughter Will Head Union of Working Women.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Steps were taken to-day by women already prominent for their activity in women's causes to organize a national organization of labor unions of which women are members. Some of the wealth of J. P. Morgan is to be contributed to the movement through the offers of aid extended by his daughter, Miss Anna Morgan. At the meeting to-day, at which the topic was discussed, Miss Morgan spoke enthusiastically of the mutual benefits which she believed would result to the women of the whole country.

The conference was also attended by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor. It was held at the home of Ida Tarbell, "the Joan of Arc of the Oil Trust fight." Other women present were Miss Elizabeth Marbury, Mrs. Raymond Robbins and Mrs. Eva McDonald Walsh of the woman's department of the National Civic Federation.

Harmony for Graves.

"I have not as yet formulated any set policy for the conduct of the affairs of the Republican city committee, but I might say that there will be no radical change," said Edward O. Graves, the new chairman of the Republican city committee, before starting on a short business trip yesterday.

"I know of no opposing factions in the city committee which it will be necessary to bring together," he said in response to a query as to whether the olive branch would be extended to Mayor Hibbard's supporters, who attacked Secretary Hormel and other members of the committee for supporting Storrow.

"The Republican city committee as an organization took no part in the recent fight, and consequently there is no hard feeling existing."

Powers-Carver Wedding.

Miss Ethel Louise Carver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen O. Carver, of Providence, R. I., and Attorney Walter Powers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur M. Powers, of No. 33 Washington avenue, North Cambridge, were married last night at the residence of the bridegroom's parents by the Rev. Paul Revere Frothingham. The maid of honor was Miss Florence E. Bent of Cambridge. The best man was Harry R. Weltman, Dartmouth '07. The ushers were: John R. McLane, Dartmouth '07; Frederick Chase, Dartmouth '05; Kenneth S. Powell Williams '07, and J. Merrick Gray, Harvard '07. The bridegroom is a graduate of Dartmouth in the class of 1906. He was graduated from Harvard Law School in 1909.

FITZGERALD LETS PLUM GIVING WAIT

Merely Filing Applications for City Berths; to Have Music on Inauguration Day.

"I have not as yet decided upon a single appointment outside of those who will constitute my office force," said Mayor-elect Fitzgerald to a Sunday American reporter last evening.

"I don't suppose any Mayor has gone into office with fewer persons seeking jobs. I have told my friends that personal friendship has to be cast aside in making these appointments and that fitness for the office and experience are the essential qualifications. I am filing all the applications for positions that I receive and after my inaugural I will make the appointments of those I believe best fitted. I haven't received any resignations.

"Since I have to prepare both the appropriation bill and the loan bill, I want to know what the people in the different sections of the city say about it.

"Since election I have attended only one or two public functions. I intend to go to even fewer after I am inaugurated. I have found that it does not pay and besides I am not as young as I was. You really can't do it and give the time to the city's business that it requires.

"My inaugural address will be somewhat lengthier than my first. I believe that the people expect much under this new charter and it will not be my fault if they do not get an administration that those who have supported me can point to with pride and that will surprise those who are yet pessimistic."

On inauguration day, February 7, the council-elect will assemble on the platform of Faneuil Hall, and Councilman Ballantyne, as senior member, will rap the gathering to order and formally appoint a committee to notify the Mayor-elect.

Accompanied by the chaplain, Marcus M. Knowlton, chief justice of the Supreme Court; Sheriff Seavey, City Messenger Leary and the invited guests, who will include all the living ex-mayors, the foreign consuls located in Boston, heads of departments and others prominent in business and professional life, the Mayor-elect will march to the platform.

After prayer by the chaplain, Chief Justice Knowlton will administer the oath of office to the Mayor. Following this the new Mayor will administer the oath of office to the nine members of the council and then begin his inaugural address.

For the first time in the history of the city music will be a feature of the inaugural exercises. The municipal band will play popular and classical airs.

TEN DIE IN WRECK.

More Than Score Injured on English Road.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The express from Brighton to London was derailed at Stoat's Nest, fifteen miles from London, this afternoon.

Ten persons are known to have been killed and at least twenty passengers injured. The express left Brighton at 3:40 p. m., and was traveling toward London at the rate of forty miles an hour when the locomotive jumped the track at a junction. The havoc was fearful.

Two bogie carriages in front were flung across the platform, and a Pullman car behind was hurled in the air, demolishing part of the station as it fell. The remaining carriages were thrown sideways and dragged for some distance.

For Positions at Arsenal.

The United States Civil Service Commission yesterday examined 127 candidates for positions at the Watertown Arsenal. From this number the board will make up a list of eligibles.

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PITIFUL SIGHTS IN PARIS; FAMISHED PEOPLE SAVED IN FLOOD-SWEPT HOUSES

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ing to save the pictures and rare furniture.

One of the most extraordinary cases of devotion is that of the wife of Major Frederick B. Mahan, who is occupying her house at No. 51 Avenue Montaigne until her husband's return by boat from Potsdam. Although the lower portions of the house are flooded and there is no electricity or gas, she is remaining in order that her husband may find her at home when he returns.

Mrs. W. H. Gebhard, mother of Frederick Gebhard, the New York clubman, has moved to the Hotel Majestic with her daughter. Mrs. Key, wife of Commander Key, U. S. N., was rescued from the Hotel Marlborough by United States Naval Attache Chapman, who sent her to Brussels for safety.

Frederick Lockwood, the well known society man of Boston, is isolated in his apartments in the Rue De Grentelle and is getting provisions by boat.

Princess Jean Gatin, who was Miss Charles J. Singer, tried today to reach Paris by special train to see what ruin had been caused in her stately house on the Quai Debilly, facing Alma Bridge. She was unable to reach Paris as all train service was stopped.

Price of Bread Doubled.

Meanwhile, what is regarded with general dread and apprehension by the American colony is that the entire central part of Paris is being deserted. The big hotels are fast emptying, the guests going to Belgium and Germany.

Only eggs and cold meat are being served in the hotels in the center of Paris. The restaurants and kitchens are flooded. In the basement of one hotel $15,000 worth of delicate machinery is ruined by the waters. The restaurants where Americans assemble are flooded and only cold food is being served.

Coal has risen 25 per cent and the price of meat and bread have doubled. All lights are out and it is impossible to buy petroleum and candles at double prices. Taxicabs and automobiles make their own prices, the cheapest rates being four times the regular fare, which is added to by the long detours it is necessary to take.

Among the Americans who left to-night are Mrs. M. L. Oliver of New York, Mrs. Charles H. Buckley of Clevland, H. D. Weiss of New York, Mr. and Mrs. Miller Collier of New York, and Miss Hellen Mackey of Cleveland.

Paris, the Submerged.

The sun smiled to-day for the first time since the floods began in Paris, not "the beautiful," but Paris the ruined, the stricken, the submerged.

The situation is even worse in some ways than when the German foe was hammering down the fortifications of the city in 1870. The foe of the past week fought silently and unseen below the streets of the city and with terrible effectiveness. There was no staying the underground enemy. Here a street sunk in, there a building tottering and everywhere was ruin. The puny barriers set up by the hand of men were as paper.

Traffic suspended entirely in the following streets: Cours La Reine, Rue Mazarine, Rue De Bourgonne, Rue De L'Universite, Rue Des Saints Peres, Rue De Bale, Rue Bonaparte, Rue D'Auteuil, Rue De Grenelle, Rue De Lille, Rue St. Antains, Rue Du Faubourg, Boulevards St. Germaine, and Haussmann, Rue De Havre, Rue Montaigne, and Rue Royale.

Commercial activity in almost every walk of life is paralyzed.

Country roads in the valley of the Seine and for miles about Paris are impassable.

The following bridges are closed. Solferino, Alma, Royale, Arcole and Saint Peres.

Telephone service discontinued, railroad traffic practically at a standstill, telegraph wires badly crippled, subway service discontinued and all surface lines abandoned. Electricity cut off.

Deliver Mail by Boat.

Caving in of the Place de La Concorde and the lower Champs Elysees imminent.

In many streets mail is being delivered by boats. Hundreds of soldiers, policemen, firemen and civilians are throwing up dams of cement. The convent of St. Sulpice shelters many refugees and homeless persons.

Food prices have soared to famine rates.

The Saint Lazare station is surrounded by water. Not a train can enter there. Suffering from cold and hunger is intense.

Only the highest quarters of the city are unaffected.

These are only a few visible evidences of the damage wrought by the flood. Damage to the sewers, water pipes, conduits, subway, foundations of buildings, pavements and sidewalks are as yet unseen. When the water recedes to its normal level, they will be visible for the first time and will undoubtedly run far into the millions. It will take months and perhaps years to restore the city to its former state.

Thousands of half-starved persons are still imprisoned in the second stories and on the roofs of their homes. Distressing tales of hunger and thirst are told by those already rescued. In the Javel district this morning two families with nine children, who had been drifting about all night on a flimsily constructed raft, were rescued by soldiers.

Driven Insane by Suffering.

Dozen of persons have been swallowed up by streets suddenly collapsing beneath them. It is certain that many were drowned in their homes. One sailor, at the limit of physical and mental endurance, became mad to-day and jumped into the Seine. Others have become insane from fear and suffering.

There is a report that Assistant Secretary Smith of the American Chamber of Commerce has been missing for two days. Efforts are being made to locate him at some hotel.

Rich residents in the Champs Elysees and adjacent districts are employing all possible help to remove the wine from their cellars. Water is now as precious as wine, being stored in casks.

The poorer districts are filled with long processions of push carts up to their hubs in water and laden with household goods of hundreds of families. Men and women plod silently through the waters, wearily dragging their few belongings to safer sections.

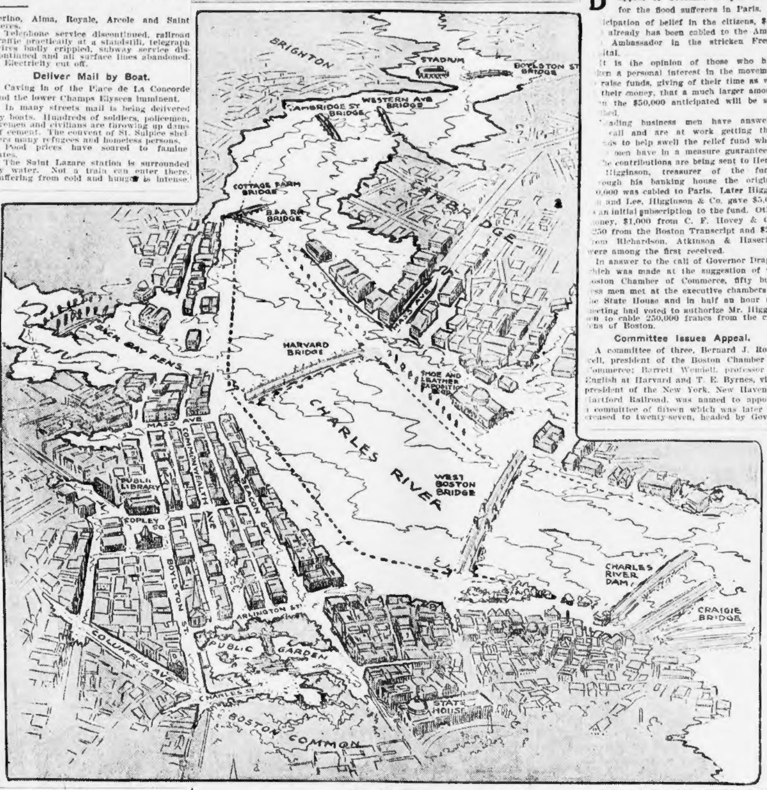
Paris dreads the aftermath—the pestilence. Doctors have posted warnings to boil all drinking water.

Every unemployed man in the city has been put to work building dikes, some of which crumble as fast as they are erected.

The distress of those who lived in the poorer districts near the river is greatest. Throughout the day they wander disconsolately through the city begging for food. At night they sleep upon the bare floors of municipal buildings that have been thrown open.

Mothers with little children in their arms line up with men at the relief stations waiting for their share of rations.

How Boston Would Look If Flood-Swept Like Paris



HOW would Boston fare if a Paris flood swept down on it?

The Paris flood began at the Bridge of Javel, to the north, and continued to the Bridge of Arts, near the Louvre, on the south. That is a distance of about four miles. The back-water crept from a half mile to a mile on each side of the river.

Now, were the Charles to rage as the Seine has done, the flood would likely be measured from the Cambridge street and Western avenue bridges, in Brighton, and sweep down the new Charles River dam. That is about four miles. This would imperil, or wreck, the Cambridge street, Brookline street, Harvard, West Boston and Craigie bridges.

In Boston, Commonwealth avenue, Bay State road, and most of the streets west of Boylston street in the Back Bay section of the city would be under several feet of yellow water which on receding would leave a thick coating of germ-laden slime. The Public Gardens, the Charles Street Jail, the Eye and Ear Infirmary and the North Station would be water-soaked.

Of course the wharves which line the banks of the river would be swept away and the Charles River dam probably ruined.

In Cambridge the water would back up over the Captain's Island playground, Charles River road and parkway, the Cambridge Gaslight Company's plant and all that part of Cambridge between the river and the New York Central tracks.

Floods in Boston which would approximate in extent those in Paris could not cause the same amount of damage here as has resulted in that beautiful city even if the same amount of territory were to be flooded.

Were the Charles River to run a torrent through this city as high as the Seine has been raging it would do less damage because there are no public buildings on its banks as there are on those of the Seine and the banks of the Charles are less densely settled.

BOSTON IS QUICK TO AID STRICKEN PARIS

BOSTON has been quick to answer the appeal of Governor Draper for aid for the flood sufferers in Paris. In anticipation of belief in the citizens, $50,000 already has been cabled to the American Ambassador in the stricken French capital.

It is the opinion of those who have taken a personal interest in the movement to raise funds, giving of their time as well as their money, that a much larger amount than the $50,000 anticipated will be subscribed.

Leading business men have answered the call and are at work getting their friends to help swell the relief fund which these men have in a measure guaranteed.

The contributions are being sent to Henry L. Higginson, treasurer of the fund. Through his banking house the original $50,000 was cabled to Paris. Later Higginson and Lee, Higginson & Co. gave $5,000 as an initial subscription to the fund. Other money, $1,000 from C. F. Hovey & Co., $250 from the Boston Transcript and $250 from Richardson, Atkinson & Haserick, were among the first received.

In answer to the call of Governor Draper which was made at the suggestion of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, fifty business men met at the executive chambers in the State House and in half an hour the meeting had voted to authorize Mr. Higginson to cable 250,000 francs from the citizens of Boston.

Committee Issues Appeal.

A committee of three, Bernard J. Rothwell, president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce; Barrett Wendell, professor of English at Harvard and T. E. Byrnes, vice-president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, was named to appoint a committee of fifteen which was later increased to twenty-seven, headed by Governor Draper to carry on the work.

This committee follows:

Gov. Eben S. Draper.	George E. Keith.
Henry L. Higginson.	James Logan.
Edmund Billings.	A. Lawrence Lowell.
Gordon Abbott.	Geoffrey B. Lehy.
Elmer J. Bliss.	George S. Motley.
T. E. Byrnes.	Wallace L. Pierce.
W. N. Caldwell.	Frank W. Rollins.
Edmund Cotet.	Bernard J. Rothwell.
Frank A. Day.	A. Shuman.
Desire Despradelle.	James J. Storrow.
Thomas B. Fitzpatrick.	Frank G. Webster.
Curtis Guild, Jr.	Barrett Wendell.
Eben D. Jordan.	John G. Wright.

This committee has issued the following appeal to the citizens of Massachusetts:

"A calamity of the greatest magnitude has befallen the capital city of the Republic of France.

"Many thousands have been driven from their homes; suffering is already intense and will not diminish with the subsidence of the flood.

"The government of France has signified its readiness to receive contributions for the relief of the unfortunate.

"The friendship which has always existed between the people of France and those of Massachusetts is traditional, has been tested in times of emergency, and has never been found wanting.

"We now have an opportunity to manifest our sympathy not only with stricken humanity, but with the suffering of long tried friends.

"To this end the committee appointed at a meeting of the citizens summoned by Governor Draper and held at the State House, Boston, calls upon our fellow citizens to send contributions, large or small, for the relief of the sufferers, to Henry L. Higginson, treasurer of the Paris Fund HRelief Committee of Massachusetts, No. 44 State stret, Boston.

Three messages of condolence were cabled to Paris from Boston. Governor Draper notified the American Ambassador of the action taken and that money would be sent; Henry L. Higginson sent the money and President Rothwell on behalf of the Chamber of Commerce cabled Albert Sarraut, under-Secretary of State for France.

SECOND ARREST IN $3,000 WOOL THEFT

Brother of Youth Held in $5,000, Also Charged With East Boston Larceny.

Bernard Goldfine of No. 776 Blue Hill avenue, who pleaded guilty in the Canner-Friedman bankrupt conspiracy case, was arrested last night on a charge of breaking and entering the warehouse of the National Dock Company at No. 23 Lewis street, East Boston, on January 26, and of larceny of $3,000 worth of wool.

Bernard's brother, Allen Goldfine, was arrested Friday on a charge of larceny of fifty-one bags of wool, valued at $3,060, from the same warehouse on the same date. Bernard Goldfine is nineteen years old and his brother is a year younger.

The wool charges against the Goldfine boys were worked up by Special Officer Patrick J. O'Neil of East Boston. The police say that they have located some of the missing wool in a junk shop at No. 115 Sumner street, East Boston. This junkshop, the police declare, is owned by the Goldfine boys' father. It is near the warehouse.

Allen Goldfine pleaded not guilty in the East Boston court yesterday and was held in $5,000 bail for a continued hearing next Saturday.

Mattapan Minstrels.

A minstrel show will be given in Oakland Hall, Mattapan, Thursday and Friday evenings, under the auspices of the Benjamin S. Rotch Club, connected with the Church of the Holy Spirit. J. Damon Elms, Jr., a well known reader and entertainer will act as interlocutor. F. Pythias Elms, F. F. Smart and Charles L. Beck will appear as tambos. F. L. Turner, H. H. Currier and H. J. Meadows as bones.

KELLEHER SUICIDE STORY FABRICATION

Sheriff John R. Fairbairn of Middlesex County last night declared untrue a sensational story published in an afternoon newspaper that Mrs. Mary Kelleher, confined in East Cambridge Jail awaiting trial on six counts of first degree murder, had attempted suicide by taking arsenic.

"The story is absolutely false," he said. "There is no truth in it whatever, and no foundation for it. If it were true I would be the first to know about it."

Frank Shaw, who is in charge of the jail at night, when asked about the story, sent for all the matrons on duty nights, and each of them said that the story was untrue. They said that Mrs. Kelleher had not attemtped her life either Friday night or at any other time.

CHINESE MASONS MEET.

New Temple in Tyler Street to Be Dedicated Today.

There is an unusually large number of prominent Chinamen in Boston to-day, attending the dedicatory exercises for the new temple of the Chinese Masons at No. 6 Tyler street. Masonic Chinamen of high degree are officiating at the exercises, which will continue until Tuesday.

To-day there will be an address by Dr. Soon Moon, formerly of this city, Worshipful Master of Chee Hong lodge, on "Masonry and the Need of Reform in China."

The first floor of the new temple contains reception and council rooms. On the second floor are billiard, card and reading rooms and kitchen. The main room on the top floor contains the Joss house, with another apartment for installation and degree work.

There are quarters for the temple custodian and inspector nearby. One of the most interesting duties of the custodian is seeing that the altar fire in the temple is kept burning continually.

FREIGHTER IS DISABLED.

Steamer Cornelia at Newport with Broken Steam Pipes.

NEWPORT, Jan. 29.—While off Point Judith this afternoon, the freight steamer Cornelia, Captain Rose, bound from New Bedford to New Haven, became crippled by the breaking of its steam feed pipes. Temporary repairs were made and the Cornelia limped into Newport harbor through the fog this evening.

The Way to Cure All Skin Diseases

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If people only realized the utter absurdity of attempting to cure a pimply, blotchy, unsightly complexion by means of the many irrational and illogical methods employed in "beauty parlors," and also in the boudoir, thousands of dollars which are wasted every year—literally thrown away—would be saved, and the complexion rendered clear and free from blemishes through constitutional treatment, at about one-tenth of one per cent of the cost of the "fancy" and exceedingly expensive local "treatments."

The idea of massaging the cheeks, and attempting to rub in a so-called "skin-food," is the height of nonsense. Nature never intended the skin to be fed from the outside, but from the inside exclusively, and it is the blood which really feeds the skin, builds it up, and supplies it with nutriment absorbed from the digestive system. There is really no such thing as a "skin-food," any more than there is a "heart-food," or "lung-food," or a "brain-food."

The skin is a water-proof, air-proof envelope over the muscular system, and it has no power to absorb cold creams, or any other medicaments, when rubbed over its surface. While, of course, steaming the face, or massaging with electricity, or by hand, will draw the blood temporarily to the surface and produce an artificial glow, which may last half an hour or so, but such treatment brings no lasting benefit, and will never cure wrinkles, pimples, pustules, blackheads, or other facial blemishes.

Besides, the frequent treatment of the skin in the way which "beauty doctors" have—those kneading, rubbing, "cooking" methods, making the face for the time being as red as a boiled lobster, also have the very undesirable effect of increasing and strengthening the hair-growth on the cheeks.

The only logical treatment in acquiring and maintaining a perfect complexion, devoid of all blemishes, such as blotches, pimples, roughness, chapping, scaly patches, etc., is to go after these troubles from the inside—to strike at the foundation, the origin of the complaints—and that means, in other words, to thoroughly purify the blood by using STUART'S CALCIUM WAFERS.

These powerful little wafers, as soon as taken into the system, exert their wonderful, blood-purifying effects, and they never let up for a moment, until every atom of impurity in the blood is eliminated, and, in addition to that, they also build up the blood and strengthen the circulation through the skin's surface, and thus render wrinkles and skin blemishes impossible of existence.

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7.98 Morris Chairs 4.98 — Morris Chairs, fitted with detachable, reversible, tufted velour cushions. Flat arms, pretty front. Can be had in either Golden Oak or Mahogany finish. **4.98**

36.98 Buffets 23.98 — Highest quality selected quartered oak buffets. Best piano polish, full size; wonderful values at **23.98**

16.98 Chevals 11.98 — Perfect beveled French plate swinging Cheval, 18x40 inch mirror, either golden oak or mahogany finish. A real big value at **11.98**

22.98 Dressers 16.98 — Highly polished, serpentine top drawers, wood knobs, large beveled French mirror. Good size. Mahogany finish. **16.98**

6.98 Chiffonier 3.98 — Real solid oak Chiffonier, 56 inches high, 30 inches wide, 5 drawers, well made and very well finished. **3.98**

15.98 Princess 9.98 — Well polished, quartered oak Swell Front Princess Dressers; long beveled swinging mirror; French legs. Very pretty, solid oak, **9.98**

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Oh, Yes, the Public Is Admitted, but the Committee Is Quite Mum.

T[illegible]

Discovered by Accident.

"Why Mr. Speaker [illegible]

Here's the Resolution.

This was the resolution [illegible]

POLITICIANS BLAMED FOR WHITE SLAVERY BY JEWESS

Mrs. Misch, National President of Council, Says Influence Saves the Criminals.

PROVIDENCE, Jan. 29.—[illegible]

BOSTON A CENTRE OF "SLAVERY" TRADE, SAYS U. S. OFFICIAL

ST. JOHN, N. B., Jan. 29.—[illegible]

WOMAN PUBLICIST WHO GIVES WARNING TO GIRLS' PARENTS

MRS. CAESAR MISCH

PICKPOCKETS BUSY AT DUDLEY STATION

Three Alleged Offenders Gathered in for Working in Crush Hour.

[illegible]

PROBE BOY'S DEATH.

Fall River Sweeper Found with Fractured Skull

FALL RIVER, Jan. 29.—[illegible]

FISHERMEN READY.

Expect Rich Harvest When Meat Is Tabooed.

The wholesale fish dealers at T wharf are waiting for an increased trade next week, when the [illegible] busiest weeks at T wharf in months. The catch for the week [illegible] 2,407,400 pounds [illegible] weather and a good [illegible] greatly [illegible] the record [illegible] dozen vessels were [illegible] T wharf yesterday.

The [illegible] from the Provinces sent up [illegible] of lobsters, while [illegible] boxes of smelts were received.

Tried to Die By Poison.

Mrs. Anna P. Esler, forty two, residing at No. 285 C street, South Boston, lost heart yesterday in an effort to support herself and five small children, her husband being out of work. She tried to end her life by taking a deadly poison in the form of a disinfectant. She took too much. She will not die.

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BABY IN A GRAVE, MOTHER DEPORTED

Trachoma Compels [illegible] to Leave Husband She Joined in This Country.

When the White Star liner [illegible]

Two Children [illegible]

Baby Dies in Hospital.

Little Pertino grew ill suddenly. It was found he had measles. [illegible]

FOOTNICK SUED FOR REMOVING THE 'LID'

Mrs. Appell [illegible] $10,000; It All Started With the Cellar Drain.

Bernard Footnick, who owns the [illegible]

Lets Water Out, But Gas In

[illegible]

Down the Cellar Stairs.

She says that the gas was turning to the landlord. "You can't open the drain, you can't go near it." The conversation took place in the alleyway and, according to her, the [illegible] Mrs. Appell, she picked herself up at the bottom of the flight of cellar stairs. She alleges that Footnick threw her down stairs and [illegible]

Mrs. Hastings' Corset Shop

[illegible]

MRS. A. H. HIGGINSON BUYS FAMOUS DOGS

Will Show Two [illegible] Winning West Highland White Terriers at Boston Exhibit.

Mrs. A. Henry Higginson of South [illegible]

MUSEUM NEEDS FUNDS

Trustees Hope to Meet Deficit of About $25,000

[illegible] The income of the institution is estimated at about $[illegible] a year, while the expenses are about $[illegible]

Tallest Man Will Dance

The "Alpha Comet" galop, the latest dance creation in Roxbury, will be given at the annual ball of the Alpha Outing Club [illegible]

Conservatory Concert.

[illegible]

ONION JAGS LATEST FOR "EXCUSE CLUB"

Vegetable Eaten as Disinfectant Goes to Head of Pittsburg Man; Lands in Court.

[illegible]

THIS'LL HOLD MILLINERS.

Cause of High Express Rates on Hats Demanded and They Get It.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Several milliners who came before Commissioner James [illegible]

GRAND RAPIDS FURNITURE CO.

FROM FACTORY TO HOME

46 and 48 ELIOT ST. BOSTON

Let's Get Acquainted!

We want you to get acquainted with the new store—the Grand Rapids Furniture Co. It's located at 46 to 48 Eliot Street, midway between Tremont and Washington. We want you to get acquainted with REAL Furniture—Grand Rapids' best—the Furniture of Quality—the Furniture different from all others, because of its superlative goodness. We want you to get acquainted with our astonishingly low prices and easy terms. We want to get acquainted with you too. We're here to stay—to build up the biggest, best and busiest furniture store in Boston. We need your help—so let's get acquainted. We're going to start acquaintance with a

FIRST ANNUAL SALE

It will begin tomorrow and last throughout the entire month of February, affording us plenty of time to properly get acquainted with you all. It will give you countless chances to get some of the

Biggest Furniture Bargains

ever offered—bargains that will surprise you—bargains

THAT CAN'T BE DUPLICATED

Because we get all our furniture direct from the Grand Rapids factories in car lots.

You understand right off that this is NOT a sale to close out old goods, because we have been in business in Boston not quite two months. No accumulated junk, but all new, up-to-date, stylish furniture, every stick built on honor, that invites comparison in every respect.

$1.00 OPENS AN ACCOUNT

Here are some of the wonderful values picked at random from the six big floors full of new goods.

Solid Oak Chiffonieres, with five large, roomy drawers, double tops, French bevelled mirror. Regular price $10.00. Sale price, **6.75**

Couches, upholstered in imitation leather, tufted, and bears our guarantee. Regular price $12.50. Sale price, **7.50**

Solid Oak Dressers, with four large, roomy drawers, large French bevelled mirror. Regular price $12.50. Sale price, **7.75**

Solid Oak, Highly Finished Round Pedestal Dining Tables, regular $15 value	9.75
Sideboards, that were $25	17.50
Buffets, that were $30.00	19.75
China Closets, that were $22.50	14.75

And there are hundreds of other attractions.

Furniture for the Parlor, Chamber, Dining Room and Kitchen. Positively the biggest, freshest, best stock, and prices none can or will match.

Open Evenings

AND $1 OPENS AN ACCOUNT

"EASY TO BUY—EASY TO PAY"

Make Big Profits Near Mobile

Pay As You Like for a Home Gardens Farm

[illegible] Acres Will Easily Yield You $5,000 a Year

ALABAMA Gulf Coast Lands are the most fertile and productive in the United States. Our Home Gardens Farms at Dyas, Baldwin County, within an hour's ride of Mobile's 65,000 population, on the Main Line of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad, are ideally located for raising and shipping fruits, garden truck and all of the big money crops that bring fancy prices in northern markets. Southern Florida lands are 37 hours from Chicago; Texas lands, 48 hours from St. Louis; California fruit growers are four days from the great central markets. Home Gardens Farms are only 17 hours from St. Louis and 25 hours from Chicago, which can be reached by a perfect fast freight service many hours sooner than from any other portions of the Gulf Coast. We offer the greatest chance either for the Investor or Home Seeker ever before known in the history of this Country. Fortune awaits the shrewd investor who is awake to the enormous possibilities of this highly productive section of the South's Greatest Garden Spot. Now is the time to act.

Located Near Big City

Our Home Gardens Tracts at Dyas are not in the "backwoods" away from civilization, but right at the very door of Mobile, a thriving city of 65,000, one of the most prosperous in the entire South [illegible] payment terms. In five years from now these farms should easily sell for from three to five times present prices.

Soil—Climate—Water

The [illegible] that [illegible] acres of our Home Gardens Farm [illegible] sand ridges. The land is 300 feet above sea level. [illegible] Plenty of pure [illegible] U. S. Marine Co[illegible] "It is the [illegible] portion of the [illegible] It is absolutely immune from all local diseases, and is the only place where such immunity exists." The climate is simply delightful. You can always be free from fear of frosts, that [illegible] of the Northern fruit raiser. And you won't have to irrigate, as the rainfall is uniform and sure. There are only two months in the year when the rains are light and that is during the principal harvest season in October and November.

Big Variety of Crops

Every known Northern crop can be produced more abundantly with less labor and expense on our Home Gardens Land, besides many fruits and [illegible] that cannot be raised in the North. [illegible] of our crops can be raised yearly. This is the finest fruit region in the world. Figs, Grapes, Plums, Pears, Satsuma Oranges, Strawberries, Pomegranates and Melons yield big profits. Tobacco, Sugar Cane, Cucumbers, Velvet Beans, Beets, Tomatoes, Rice, Corn, Cabbage, Potatoes, Lettuce, Peppers, Okra, Spinach and Onions bring fancy prices. Fortunes are being made by Truck Gardeners on [illegible] and 20 acre tracts. From $[illegible] to $[illegible] per acre can be earned by careful cultivation.

Live Stock and Dairying

The richness and abundance of the all-year round forage and the feeding crops raised in this section make it peculiarly adapted [illegible] stock raising and dairying. [illegible] Milk sells readily at from 30 to 40 cents a gallon and choice butter is worth 30 to 40 cents per pound the year round. Big money can also be made from poultry, hogs and sheep.

Safest of All Investments

Land is the one [illegible] investment [illegible] as owner of the land, you will receive the sure increase in value from year to year. Farm lands are getting scarcer each year. In a few years more it will be impossible to get hold of such bargains in farms as we now offer in our Home Gardens Tracts.

Our Easy Payment Terms

No matter who you are or what your [illegible] or income may be, you can own one of these [illegible] Farms. Our credit payment plan makes it so easy to pay for the land that you will not miss the small sums saved in this way. [illegible] offer is not only a good thing for Farmers and Actual Homeseekers, but is a splendid opportunity for Clerks, Bookkeepers, Stenographers, Factory Workers, Lawyers, Ministers, School Teachers—any one who can put aside a few dollars each month to secure prosperity and absolute independence for the future. If you want an investment that can not fail you, put your surplus money in a Home Gardens Farm—the only form of security that cannot be lost by fire, theft, speculation or poor business management.

Temporary Deposit Coupon

In order to avoid delay and possible disappointment, it is better to send us $2 with your name and address on the Coupon below and we will at once forward you a selection of 10, 20 or 40 acre Home Gardens Farm marked plainly on a map and fully described. If you are not pleased with this choice, your $2 will be returned at once. This land is selling so rapidly that we cannot hold any particular tract subject to decision unless a small deposit is sent as an evidence of good faith. But, please remember that this deposit is your money, not ours, and that it is simply to be held by us merely as a deposit, subject to your order. If you decide to buy a farm from us, it can be applied to your credit.

Cross Co-operative Association, 60 Land Department, Chicago, Ill.
Enclosed find $2.00 as temporary deposit. Please send me map and full description of a ... Home Gardens Tract.
My $2.00 is to be returned to me promptly if I am not satisfied with your selection.
Name ...
Address ...

Mail This Now!

Prices and Terms

Price Is $20 Per Acre

$200.00 Pays for a 10-Acre Farm
$10.00 down and $10.00 a month

$400.00 Pays for a 20 Acre Farm.
$20.00 down and $15.00 a month.

$800.00 Pays for a 40-Acre Farm
$40.00 down and $25.00 a month.

Special Offer

On first 100 farms will plant one acre of Pecans, absolutely free, this acre will be worth $350 in 5 years. No further costs of any kind.

Cross Co-operative Association
60 Land Department, Chicago, Ill.

Free Information Coupon

If after reading the above, you feel that you require further details, facts and figures, about this wonderful investment, just send us your name and address on the Coupon below, and we will mail you our Free Descriptive Book showing photographs, records of crop yields and big profits, evidence from actual farmers, maps, statistics, etc., that will open your eyes to the marvelous results that are being accomplished in and around [illegible] Home Gardens Land. It will cost you nothing to get all the facts. We welcome the closest scrutiny. There is nothing to hide in this proposition. The more it is investigated, the better we shall be pleased, for these farms are selling themselves daily to level-headed folks who have found out just what is being accomplished there.

Cross Co-operative Association, 60 Land Department, Chicago, Ill.
I want more facts and figures before I decide. Please send the Free Book, Maps and full details of your Home Gardens Farm offer.
Name ...
Address ...

No Letter Needed

Filene's — Washington and Winter Sts. | The Guardian Shoe for Girls. | Washington and Winter Sts. | Great Brand Hosiery. | Women's and Girls' Apparel Ready to Wear. | Washington and Winter Sts. | The Guardian Shoe for Girls.

Making the Best Use of Mfrs.' Dull Season to Work Up Present Wear Materials into New Styles at Savings in Price to You

Look closely at some of the Special Sales at Filene's tomorrow.

Some of them cannot be duplicated again. Quickly come and quickly go—that's the experience of most January Sale Lots.

New Goods in Winter and early Spring weights at the prices of markdown goods elsewhere.

A feature of this week, beginning Monday morning, will be the window displays of the forerunners of Spring Fashions.

See the Filene windows. See those striking Aurora Plaited Dresses. See that beautiful new Crystal Studded Tulle Coat. New Spring Suits for Misses with new ideas all over them. See the Dresses of Shawl Pongee. See the Paisley Hood Capes. See the New French Batiste Waists. See the New Dancing Dresses. See the New Ideas in French Veils. See—lots of things new to fashion—and ready to wear now.

And then the Fur Sale — and the Sale of Girls' Dresses — Bigger and Better than last year—which, you may remember, was pretty big.

Do You Know that the Filene

Girls' Shoe Store

is the Most Complete in the World?

Do You Know That

More [illegible] Shoes are worn by babies than any [illegible] ... can get any style and any size when [illegible] ... daughters, and gladly pay our [illegible]

Do You Know That

[illegible] ... one of the standards for [illegible] ... every pair

Do You Know That

[illegible] ... to be found in other shops ... white and tan rubbers, every size and ... new embroidered slippers ... white buckskin boots ... high cut Grenadier boots, ankle ties and Roman sandals.

Put Your Children's Feet in our Care. We give expert Orthopedic Fitting Service and Save Money for You On Your Shoe Bills.

New Spring Suits

A Special Lot

New suits hurried in for tomorrow. The novelty features are:

1. The new Sharkskin Serge.
2. The new 34 in. coat length.
3. New graduated plaited skirt.
4. The new spring shades.

All the coats are lined with peau de cygne and so lined that you can wear them NOW. These suits are regular 25.00 suits, but the Mon[illegible] ... **19.75**

And [illegible] new lots of tailored suits, one, plain [illegible] ... of worsteds ... the other, braid trimmed coat suits of broadcloths; coats lined with guaranteed satin and interlined. Both lots will be ready in the Department Monday **25.00**

Closing Our Fur Stock for the Season

Reductions Taken Amounting to 7500.00.

100.00 off this coat—
125.00 off another—
50.00 off another, and so on.

Pick out a Fur Coat this week and save money.
No better chance this season.
Probably no chance like it next year, for prices keep advancing each year.
Now is the best time. Only odd pieces later.

3 Special Lots Gloves

200 prs. 1.00 *One-Clasp Chamois Gloves*; in cream shades, guaranteed washable, and 150 prs. 1.15 *One-Clasp* [illegible] ... with spear point embroidery ... **75c**

150 prs. *Two-Clasp Kid Gloves* (1.50 values), in tan and white; pique sewn ... **95c**

[illegible] ... Gloves also Chamois [illegible] 2 Clasp [illegible] ... pairs at **25c**

Filene Machine-Made Wash Dresses

1.00 to 7.50—No Higher

[illegible] ... House Dresses ... **1.50**

[illegible] ... Dutch Neck ... **2.00**

A SALE OF GIRLS' DRESSES TO BEAT LAST YEAR'S! — The Day and the Sale to Buy a Lot of New Dresses for Girls

(Not space here to tell you about the Sale Lots.)

Misses' New Suits

Tailor-made Suits in navy blue black serge (tightly woven). One of the most approved of the season's styles. 38 in. French back coat, 17 gore, deeply plaited skirt. A model that's in style all the year round ... **15.00**

Newly Arrived Voile Dresses

Taffeta Lined Throughout

Dresses you can wear indoors or out. Broad plaits over shoulders. Self colored net yokes outlined in taffeta. Tucked sleeves, with buttons. The skirts are plaited from the hip-yokes; waists are boned. In Dutch blue, russet, gray, navy, prunella and black ... **25.00**

New Lingerie and Linen Dresses

9.25 to 75.00

Misses' New Coats

Full length [illegible] coat ... single breasted large buttons ... Particularly desirable ... in navy tan ... **12.50**

Dutch Collars and Jabots

100 *Plauen Lace Dutch* [illegible] ... in white and cream ... **65c**

100 *Double Jabots* of Repousse lace with cluny insertions ... white ... **50c**

Automatically Reduced — Here's a lot of Combinations that went on sale only about two weeks ago at the Bargain Price of [illegible] ... **43c**

Tunnel Bargain Basement

Automatically Reduced — [illegible] ... fashioned Cashmere ... heels and ... **18c**

A low price is not by any means a sure indication of a bargain

THAT'S ONE DIFFERENCE between the Tunnel Bargain Basement and the average ... The ordinary Bargain Store sells [illegible] ... the Tunnel Bargain Basement, which is to sell "ONLY DEPENDABLE GOODS AT BARGAIN PRICES."

In addition to low-priced goods, the medium and higher grades are included: even Imported Paris Models from time to time. BUT EVERY LOT must be AT LESS THAN REGULAR PRICES, or it cannot be sold in the Tunnel Bargain Basement.

Cleveland is Called "Queen of the Coat and Suit Cities"—and this is a Sale of the Surplus Stocks of one of Cleveland's Best Manufacturers.

499 "Cleveland-Made" Coats 4.85

bearing the labels of one of the best known makes sold in Boston at from 15.00 to 25.00

Many of the famous "Auto-Rain-Dress-Opera Coats" (patented) in this sale

What Do We Mean By New Styles?

Not only this season's styles, but this season's late styles. Such features as: Big fancy button trimming ... Auto pockets and sleeves ... which can be worn two ways (as extensively advertised in men's coats) ... button all the way up the side with big buttons—etc., etc.

In Kerseys, Broadcloths, Cheviots, Tweeds and Men's Mixtures. Sizes for Women, Misses and Small Women.

Have You Ever Seen COATS As Good As These At 4.85? Don't You Think the Tunnel Bargain Basement Had Better Be the First Point on Your Shopping Trip Monday?

Important Notice to Women Who Wear Large Garments — Included in this sale are about 50 Large Size Coats in 4 new models; All in black broadcloths, long and short-waisted, sizes 44 to 52, at the sale price of ... **4.85**

1.50 Princess Corsets At 1.00

1.00

Unbreakable hip, made with double interlining, boned throughout with aluminum. New long model of extra heavy coutil, four lisle hose supporters and satin bow.

Infants' 25c Cashmere Stockings — Silk heel and toe, mostly first quality, a few seconds, at **10c**

Women's 35c Outsize Stockings — Imported Cotton Stockings of a medium weight, at **22c**

3.00 to 4.00 Sweater Coats — For women, all wool, in gray and white, fancy weave and shaker knit, at **1.35**

Girls' 1.50 to 2.00 White and Colored Dresses — Fine lawn and colored dresses of galatea, in assorted patterns and styles, at **1.19**

1.50 Waists, At 1.00

A wide range of styles from which to select in this lot; Lingerie Waists [illegible] ... and cases

1.00

Waists — 5.98 to 7.50 hand embroidered Lingerie and Marquisette Waists, in [illegible] ... only one of a kind ... **3.98**

Automatically Reduced! — Women's all wool Sample Sweater Coats, worth up to [illegible] ... **2.96**

1.50 Combinations At 98c

Corset Covers and Drawers (like illustration) Cover is in several different patterns of embroidery, slashed drawer with ribbon bow.

98c

Sweaters — A lot of women's all wool Sweater Coats plain and fancy weave some shower knit in gray, white and colors, pockets, these Sweaters are 3.00 to 4.50 values. On Sale MONDAY at **1.95**

Mothers of Children of 6 Months to 5 Years Who Need Coats

Will do well to read the following and see these coats.

Infants' 2.50 to 3.00 White Coats, plain or fancy models; for infants from 6 months to 5 years; and Children's 2.50 and 3.00 Colored Coats of all wool materials, all lined and some quilted throughout. **1.45**

Boston American

General News

SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 1910. SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 1910.

GREAT PROTEST OVER PRISON LABOR IN NAVAL WORK

Mass Meeting in Faneuil Hall to Blame Red Tape for the Charlestown Trouble.

HUNDREDS LOSE POSITIONS

Skilled [illegible] Blame [illegible] Leave Them [illegible] Their Places.

A [illegible]

[illegible] is expected that [illegible] Government [illegible] Rethwe [illegible]

[illegible] as the Navy Yard Employes [illegible] officers of this league [illegible] the prison ships [illegible] N. H., are em[illegible] government work [illegible] skilled men for [illegible] Charlestown Navy Yard [illegible] Government posi[illegible]

[illegible] of the officers of the league [illegible] is the intention of the [illegible] do away with [illegible] and have all the navy yard [illegible] prisoners.

In [illegible] the charge of unjust discrimination [illegible] free labor, the officers of the union declare that red tape has become so prevalent in the conduct of naval business as to constitute a menace. Hundreds upon hundreds of thousands of dollars, they say, are wasted annually through useless clerk hire alone.

Protest on Red Tape.

Several instances are cited where it took forty or more clerks to transmit a simple order from Washington, work that required only a few hours to complete when finally it reached the shops. One [illegible], sent back and forth several times for no known cause, was accompanied by just 106 lengthy statements from different clerks when finally it was placed in the hands of the mechanics.

Charges of wilful waste in an alleged plot to close the government navy yards entirely are made by the union officers. Naval officers are said to be strutting up and down the almost deserted shops issuing orders while the really competent civilians who formerly acted as foremen are dropped from the government payroll.

Aside from the numerous clerks and other unwinders of red tape connected with the coppersmith's shop in the Charlestown Yard to-day, there is only one man—a master mechanic at that—and one apprentice boy, where forty men used to work. Out of the eighty workmen in the pattern shop only three remain, while the drafting room is deserted, and the machine shop looks as though it recently had been swept by a cyclone.

It is declared that emissaries of the Steel Trust, and of great private corporations that would benefit by the closing of the yards are secretly at work trying to hasten the closing of every navy yard in the country.

Petition to Congress.

Names, dates and specific proof of the truth of these charges, the officers of the union say, will be made public at their Faneuil Hall meeting. Even the Chamber of Commerce will be asked to act with the labor men in their endeavor to make the fight a national issue. Congress also will be petitioned to help the navy yards and furnish employment to the thousands of skilled workmen now idle as a result of the naval mixup. It is expected that fully 3,000 men will take part in this protest.

TRASK WRECK INQUIRY.

Grand Jury to Investigate Accident Which Killed Banker.

MOUNT VERNON, N. Y., Jan. 29.—When the February Grand Jury begins its hearings next week at White Plains, one of the first matters it will take up will be the investigation of the wreck of the Montreal express on the New York Central road at Croton-on-the-Hudson which resulted in the death of Spencer Trask, the New York banker.

Eugene Flanagan, engineer of the freight train which crashed into the express, has been held for the Grand Jury, which body will consider the question of indicting him for manslaughter in the second degree. It is reported that the jurymen will examine into the reliability of signals and may call some of the head officials of the road as witnesses. It was said to-day that the widow of Mr. Trask will bring a suit for $250,000 against the New York Central Company for the death of her husband.

Thought Dead, May Live.

MARION, Ind., Jan. 29.—Apparently dead for more than an hour Mrs. Ora C. Gunions recovered consciousness after the undertaker arrived. Her physician was hurriedly recalled. He says she may recover. Mrs. Gunion's condition has been critical ever since a surgical operation was performed on her.

LEADER OF JOLLY BACHELOR CLUB OF DORCHESTER GIRLS

[illegible]

BACHELOR GIRLS IN MATRIMONIAL TEST

Dorchester Club Is Just Going to See Who's Who at Coming Dance.

OF all the feminine nerve! The eight [illegible] of the Bachelor Girls Club of Dorchester are going to have a dance to initiate themselves.

All the Dorchester lads who can get tickets are going to be there. Monday evening, February 7, is the time. Navilius Hall on Bowdoin street, Dorchester, is the place.

It was bad enough when the eight girls formed the club, whose constitution, by-laws, objects, purposes and full intent were all along the line of anti-matrimony. But how to prove that they wouldn't marry was the question. The girls finally decided they would give a dance and keep watchful eyes, one on another, that no member acted in any but a non-matrimonial way.

It is a sort of non-matrimony test, as it were. If the members, in spite of the romantic and sentimental associations of sweet music, dancing measures and the ardent attentions of their partners, show no inclination to be sentimental, then they can call themselves strictly eligible to the Bachelor Girls' Club.

The idea of any girls—Dorchester girls above all—giving a dance with such intention strikes the Dorchester swains as the last word in impudence. That's the reason they are bound to go.

Helen G. Allerby is president of the club. Winnie McDonald is treasurer. The other members are Alice O'Donnell, Lilly Callahan, Catherine J. O'Neil, Margaret Burns, Mary McDonald and Annie Allerby.

Of course, there is a bare possibility that one, maybe more, of the girls will wed. Anyhow, the chap who wins the first girl in the club is to receive a prize from the other girls. Of course, the girl he gets will be one prize. But the cash prize is in addition. Some Bachelor Girls Clubs impose a fine on marrying members. This club makes it all the more tantalizing by offering a prize.

Some nerve, what.

PLUCK AVERTED FLOOD.

Town Saved from Disaster Like That of Johnstown.

AUSTIN, Pa., Jan. 29.—Heroic work by men of Austin has saved this town from a disaster similar to that which almost wiped out Johnstown twenty years ago.

A concrete dam, restraining a huge volume of water, showed signs of giving way, and 300 families went to the hills where they remained all last night.

When the break was discovered, however, a large gang of workmen, assisted by many volunteers, set to work blasting one end of the breast of the dam. Others at the risk of their lives, worked all night trying to reach a release valve at the bottom of the dam. They finally succeeded, and the water was gradually released until all danger was passed.

LABOR MAKES PROTEST.

Demand Only Union Men Work on Lynn School.

LYNN, Jan. 29.—Organized labor in this city is making a quiet protest against the employment of non-union labor on the Classical High School building in North Common street. Work on the new building, which began last Summer, is in danger of being delayed. General Contractor George Murdough of Dorchester, who is erecting the building, let the contract for electrical work to the Lynn firm of Sampson & Allen, electricians. This is an open shop. The union men object to non-union men being employed on the work.

40 SUMMONSED IN JURY BRIBE PROBE AT LAWRENCE

Former Alderman Declares $1,000 Was Given Back With Police Knowledge.

WHOLE CITY IS STIRRED.

Mayor and City Marshal Among Those Called by the District Attorney.

LAWRENCE, Jan. 29.—Twenty-six [illegible] in the Lawrence [illegible] scandal [illegible] Lawrence citizens for the [illegible] of the Grand Jury on Tuesday [illegible] [illegible] charges of bribery were [illegible] made by Mayor White and two members of the Board of Aldermen.

Says Money Was Returned.

The most amazing condition revealed apart from the admissions of Mayor White and two members of the Board of Aldermen that they were offered and refused bribes, is the fact publicly admitted by ex-Alderman Xavier C. Legendre of Ward 4 that $1,000 in bribe money, paid over to him in order to secure his vote to dismiss James A. Hamilton from the office of chief of the fire department, was paid back to the man who offered the bribe after men high [illegible] police department had a talk with him at his place of business [illegible] street.

It was the attempt upon the part of Mayor White to remove Chief Hamilton from office, after having himself appointed him only a few months before, that led to the stories of official bribery and corruption with which Lawrence now seethes.

Mayor White was the first to make charges of attempted bribery. He stated that he could have had $2,000 to name a licensing board favorable to certain interests, that a street paving company had offered him $7,000 for a contract in their favor and that $2500 was offered him to secure the award of a fire department contract. These offers were all declined.

Make Open Charges.

Following Mayor White's accusations charges of bribery were made in open session of the board of aldermen. Some aldermen accused others until about every meeting of the mayor and aldermen had veiled insinuations or open charges of graft.

On the eve of the advent of the new government to power Mayor White announced to the aldermen that he desired the removal of Chief Hamilton. Three aldermen were in favor and three against. Removal was impossible in a board of six aldermen, with four votes necessary to make the action of the mayor effective.

Then Alderman Legendre told the story that has led to the Grand Jury probe now on, and which promises to lead also to a probe by the grand jurors of all the stories of alleged "graft" last year as charged by Mayor White and members of the Board of Aldermen, as well as an investigation into the stories so freely told about town by contractors and aspirants for office who happened to be brought into close touch with the Government of 1909.

Notifies the Police.

Alderman Legendre's story was that a friend of his, a liquor dealer, called at his place of business, an undertaker's shop, on Franklin street, and offered him $1,000 if he would absent himself from a meeting of the Board of Aldermen that evening and thus make it possible for Mayor White to remove Fire Chief Hamilton. The alderman agreed to take the money, although in his own mind determined to vote for Chief Hamilton's retention. At the time set for the receipt of the $1,000, the alderman had an employe of his hiding in a pile of coffins in his back shop. The employe was Ernest Dube.

Prompt to the minute, a man came with the bundle of $1,000, and it was given over to Legendre. Then Alderman Legendre told Chief Hamilton the story, and fearing for his personal safety that night, the alderman was escorted to the City Hall by a bodyguard of two men from fire department headquarters.

Alderman Legendre told his story, and the row that evolved itself next day was intensified when the man who claimed to own the $1,000 found difficulty in getting it back.

The visit of police officials to Alderman Legendre and to Dube resulted in the restoration of the bribe money.

District Attorney Busy.

Alderman Legendre told of it, Chief Hamilton told of it and another city official boasted that he had compelled an alderman to "cough up a thousand dollar bribe roll."

Among the witnesses called are Mayor White, City Marshal Fox, Inspector William J. Houghton, all the members of last year's board of Aldermen, Chief Hamilton, Ernest Dube, the "coffin" witness, business men, lawyers, newspapermen and politicians.

Mary Meyer, 'Best Politician in Massachusetts,' Gives Inside History of Politics and Politicians

Story of Battles of State Democracy by Woman [illegible] Twenty Years Its Confidential Secretary, Pictures of [illegible] Men

'Nate' Matthews and [illegible] Campaign for Office [illegible] Mayor in 1890; Make-up of Committee That Elected Russell Governor

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AFTER twenty years [illegible] of a strictly confidential nature, I find myself writing about it, and [illegible] I have done there will be nothing for the Finance Commission or the District Attorney to take up.

I have been with the Democratic party as a confidential secretary in its most successful times, as I have in its most trying periods. I have been with the party when the greatest men the party ever had vied with each other in effort to bring about s[illegible].

I have seen men of brains and means giving both without stint for the cause of the party.

I have known some party leaders to shape principles to suit contributors. I have seen corporations grow from infants to giants prematurely. I have [illegible] in the making.

Knows Every Type of Legislator.

I have met the politician with high ideals of government for which he would conscientiously battle. I have also met the politician of sordid ambition who would barter the interests of party and constituency, or do anything to gratify his ambition.

BUT THEY DON'T LAST LONG.

I have heard the highly idealistic young legislator denounce the boss, so called, for his subserviency to corporate influence. I have known the same idealistic legislator to be brought back to a normal condition by an antidote similar in its efficacy to that he claimed made the boss subservient. I have known others who, when the corporation doctor did not prescribe the same antidote for their trouble, asked for it.

I do not expect that any woman's college will confer upon me any degree for doing this narrative, for it is my first attempt at writing stories. If there is any truth in the idea that a woman will do nothing that will reveal her true age, my attempt in this line is a strong argument against it.

My story begins twenty years ago, and what my age was then I can never tell and maintain the reputation of my sex. Twenty years is a long time to look back—for a woman—and then be so hazardous as to write about it; but, however that may be, I know that I have lived it, and it has many pleasant recollections. I have met many men; I think I can say all kinds. I have met some whose impulses were honest and whose regard for their reputation and honor was high, and others who thought nothing of either reputation or honor.

I went to work for the State committee in 1890. Of the real big men that controlled the party few are now alive. It was in that year that Charles J. Lewis, Alpheus Alger and Michael M. Cunniff lost control to such men as Nathan Matthews, Patrick A. Collins, General Taylor, Matthew Keany, Josiah Quincy, Patrick Maguire, Henry W. Swift, Colonel Coveney, Sigourney Butler, John W. Corcoran and John H. Sullivan.

Matthews Wins First Victory.

I mention these names because it was these men who made up the executive committee—which was THE committee. But four are now alive, Nathan Matthews, ex-Mayor; General Taylor of the Globe, Josiah Quincy, ex-Mayor, and Henry W. Swift, reporter of the Supreme Court decisions in the Court House.

The chairman of the State committee was either Hon. P. A. Collins or his law partner, Hon. John W. Corcoran. Nathan Matthews was chairman of the executive committee. The genial and big-hearted John H. Sullivan was treasurer, Josiah Quincy was secretary and Henry W. Swift was chairman of the finance committee.

It was also in 1890 that the beloved William E. Russell was first elected Governor at the age of 33, defeating John Q. A. Brackett by 9,000 votes, and the same year that "Nate" Matthews, as he was called, was elected Mayor of the city. I will always remember that year.

The committee headquarters was at 252 Washington street, next to the Globe, and on election night when the returns began to come in, and it was practically certain that Russell had won, the beaming, good-natured countenance of the lamented John H. Sullivan was wreathed in smiles; and I am not sure that Josiah Quincy didn't smile, too, and "Nate" Matthews came in with the same stooped shoulders, apparently not excited, and his whole bearing indicating that nothing but the expected happened.

John H. Sullivan, ready to burst with good fellowship, proclaimed Matthews Mayor then and there.

Cracker with Club Sandwich.

That was a night I can never forget. I remember that it was that night that I ate my first club sandwich, and John H. Sullivan said it would never hurt me if I ate a little cracker with it. I can eat one now without a cracker and it doesn't hurt. My salary was increased forthwith; they looked upon me, as they said, as a mascot. I lived away out in the wilds of West Roxbury, but, as they say nowadays, I rode home that night in class. I began to think that I had a position of some responsibility; and I was quite elated, too, at having as my employer the Governor of the State and the probable Mayor. I can tell you and I must confess I felt some pumpkins. Well, the new committee, or that part known as the city committee, got right down to business to elect a Democratic Mayor.

There was no doubt as to who the candidate would be; it was "Nate" Matthews, the man who had done so much to bring about the election of William E. Russell. No man in my time has ever questioned "Nate" Matthews's capacity for work or his ability, either.

MISS MARY MEYER

In those days the ward and city committee had great powers, that was before the Australian ballot was used, and the question of who the party nominee would be was seldom, if ever, a cause of any trouble; and whoever the real leaders decided upon was invariably chosen.

Men of Education Chosen.

Leadership wasn't determined by the number of dances a man attended, or by his abuse of men high in party councils, but by his loyalty to the principles of the party and his ability and recognized honor to occupy a place among men.

Men of education and probity were chosen as leaders to preside over the destinies of the party; and it was such men that made the Democratic party what it was in the early nineties in this State.

I may have gone too far from the campaign for city election in my enthusiastic admiration of those men, but I will try and get back without seriously disjointing my story.

"Nate" Matthews went into the city campaign with the same avidity for work that always characterized his efforts. It was then that I began to think that the responsibility of my position was too much for me. I had only just finished my stenographic course, and I had to take Mr. Matthews's dictation of seemingly incomprehensible terms and endless figures, such as "net debt," "net funded debt," "funded debt," "gross debt," "outside the debt limit," "loans for current expenses," etc.

And, oh, how he would reel off figures; he could really make them utter words. He was so thoroughly engrossed in his work that he was absolutely oblivious of his surroundings.

Matthews a Hard Worker.

I remember one day he was at work in his private office with Josiah Quincy, and I went in [illegible] he was in the midst of a lot of scrap paper and figures, cigarette in [illegible] [illegible] in again to do some more figuring, and I did not want to say anything just then, so I walked over to the window, and he said, not thinking, of course, "Got a match, Mary?"

I had to smile, and he, looking up, saw me and apologized, and then made another "bull" by saying, "You got one, Joe?"

He had the same chance of catching Josiah Quincy in company with a match as he would with a girl—he didn't smoke.

After a day of taking dictation from Matthews, I would go home with my head reeling. It was a trying test, but I kept my courage; everything was congenial, every man that came in was a gentleman. The campaign was fought, and success crowned our efforts.

"Nate" Matthews was elected Mayor. Things looked bright for the Democratic party. Meetings were held frequently at the headquarters and also at the old Tremont House, which stood at the corner of Beacon and Tremont streets. It was not an unusual thing to be called to the Tremont House to take dictation; there was plenty of work, and there was something to work for—and to work with.

Real party spirit was alive, there was no evidence of petty jealousies. It is only men who are not capable themselves that become jealous of those that are.

The tearing-down class was not strong in those days.

In the executive committee there were men fitted by education, others whose selection as leaders was not because of any special educational qualification, but rather because of their natural abilities as leaders.

Matthew Keany was the first president of the city committee I remember. He was typical of that leadership that comes from respect, ever ready to help his fellowmen, who, in turn, were proud of their leader, not because of any tirade he made against any other man, but because of the respect and honor shown him by his associates.

Matt Keany was dear to the hearts of his people, which was attested to in a most pronounced manner at his funeral, which, I believe, was one of the largest, if not the largest, ever held in Boston. I didn't come in such close contact with him as I did with the members of the State committee.

Most of the real work was done by the younger men, Keany preferring to leave it to the younger and, as he used to say, the more able men.

Matt Keany, as he was called, was a grand character.

To Be Continued in the American Next Sunday.

BOSTON'S 20TH CENTURY CLUB HEARS WOMEN ON SUFFRAGE

Custom Shattered by Invitation to Women to Discuss Ballot at Period That Is Usually Given Up to Smoke Talk

"Suffragents" They Call Them in England; Boston Workers Do Not Deny Membership in a Society Because of Sex

Notable Men Become Officers of Massachusetts Suffrage Organization; Long List Now Enrolled to Help the Plan

AS the time for the woman suffrage hearing at the State House draws near, the war between the women suffragists and the [illegible] grows fiercer, each side calls forth its best champions, its strongest captains, and incidentally [illegible] interesting data is given to the public.

The latest joyful or startling news—according to whether you are anti or not—that is being brought to light is the [illegible] the other day at a meeting of the Twentieth Century Club [illegible] the first time in the history of the club, women to the number of three were invited by about fifty Twentieth Century Club male members to adjourn to the "smoke room" upstairs to join the men in their after-dinner discussion.

It seems that Miss Jean Gordon, woman factory inspector of Louisiana, who had been in Boston to attend the Child Labor Conference, was asked to speak at the club. She said that in the city of Lucy Stone and Henry B. Blackwell she could not refrain from dwelling upon the importance of woman's ballot as an aid to the humanitarian measures they were all interested in. She went on and gave the Twentieth Century Club what one of the members called "a rousing good dose of suffrage doctrine."

Interviewed on the unprecedented invitation [illegible] the women to join the men in [illegible] smoke talk, Dr. [illegible] of Dorchester, one of the [illegible] members of the club, said:

Seeking Test Vote.

"Yes, it is quite true [illegible] never knew [illegible] invited to the smoke room before, though I do not see why they should not be. You know after a meeting of the club those most interested in the subject of discussion that day usually go upstairs for a smoke and for further discussion. This time, while child labor was the real subject of the meeting, Miss Gordon had adroitly brought up the matter of equal suffrage, and that was the subject we went upstairs to discuss.

"Miss Gordon was there, so was Miss Mary McDowell of Chicago and Mrs. Mary Ware Dennett of this city. We invited them to join us and they did so. We had a very lively discussion for a full hour. I was chairman of the meeting, and out of the fifty members present I found only one dissenting voice—only one who had any excuse for not granting women their obvious rights.

"That, of course, brought up the question as to how the Twentieth Century Club, which [illegible] conservative, stands on the matter of votes for women. Mrs. Dennett and I fell to talking about it, and I told her that I would find out how the club does stand on it. We never take a vote in the club on any question, so it is obviously out of the question to get it in that way, besides it would be unsatisfactory.

"As soon as I get time I am going to write a letter to the members of the club, 600 in all, and get some expression of opinion.

Thinks Club Favorable.

"There is no other way in which to get figures on it, but it is my opinion that the great majority of the members are not only in favor of letting women vote on equal terms with men, but consider it unjust and a matter of reproach against the citizenship of the city, State and nation that they do not.

"Of course, I have not made a canvass of the club, but I always attend the meetings and I know most of the members very well. I have found very few indeed who do not feel as I do on the matter. I cannot say anything too strong in favor of granting to women their share in governing themselves."

Dr. Paul's attitude and his opinion that the Twentieth Century Club members stand almost as a body in favor of woman suf-

20TH CENTURY CLUB SHATTERS CUSTOM TO HEAR WOMEN

frage led the Boston American to investigate the [illegible] membership of the Boston and the Massachusetts [illegible] Suffrage Associations pending Dr. [illegible]'s report.

"Are men [illegible] to membership in the woman suffrage associations of Boston and Massachusetts, and if they are, can they hold office and have all the privileges of women members?" was the question asked Mrs. George H. Page of Brookline, Mrs. Richard Y. Fitzgerald of Hyde Park and Mrs. M. W. [illegible] of Boston, at the suffrage headquarters.

Men Are Vice-Presidents.

The three women looked at one another and laughed [illegible] as if the question had never been asked [illegible], and then Mrs. Page said, with a [illegible] glance at the others:

"We make [illegible] on account of sex. As for [illegible] to hold office, we have nine [illegible] vice-presidents in the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Association to eighteen women, and I never heard of a woman suffragist wanting to bar men from any of the privileges she enjoys. [illegible] of sex [illegible] might [illegible].

"While we do [illegible] make no effort to get [illegible] we [illegible] deny [illegible] privilege if they seek it as so many have. We have male members of our Boston organization, our Massachusetts organization and [illegible] Equal Suffrage League [illegible] that some of the best citizens of Boston [illegible] in giving women the [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

"It may interest those who have read the list of the men who are opposed to woman suffrage to see a list of some of the men who are members of the [illegible] suffrage associations [illegible] [illegible]

[illegible]

Prominent Men Join.

The list of Boston men who have enrolled themselves as advocates for women is as follows:

[illegible]

MARY B. FABBO

CHARLES FRAGCA

LEADERS OF GRAND MARCH AT ANNUAL DANCE OF NEWSBOYS

[illegible]

FREE PICTURE EXHIBIT.

Work of Noted Artists Now to Be Seen at Franklin Union.

[illegible]

FR. KNAPPE FOR CHAPLAIN.

Fitzgerald Chooses Old Pastor for Inauguration Day.

[illegible]

Married 25 Years.

[illegible]

Mrs Speed Indorsed.

[illegible]

NEWSBOYS' DANCE TO BE THE FINEST YET

Plan to Send Two Members to Harvard This Year, Instead of One, as Before.

HELD for the special purpose of raising sufficient money to continue [illegible] the Eighth Annual [illegible] at Paul Revere Hall [illegible] night [illegible]

[illegible]

UNIQUE AERIAL SHOW.

Great Interest Shown in Exhibit to Open on February 16

[illegible]

PLEA FOR VACCINATION

City Hospital Superintendent Lectures on Smallpox.

[illegible]

PEARY LECTURES HERE.

Will Tell Story of the North Pole Discovery on February 17.

Lieutenant Peary will tell how he discovered the North Pole in Symphony Hall on Thursday, February 17. Dr. Cook [illegible] also lectured in the same style [illegible] large audience.

[illegible]

DINE TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Deputy Commanders of Order of Golden Star to Gather.

It is expected that over 100 [illegible] will attend the annual [illegible] deputy commanders of the United Order of the Golden Star [illegible] to-morrow [illegible] of Haverhill.

Clothing Men's Banquet.

The employes of the Continental Clothing House, Washington and Boylston streets, are eagerly looking forward to their annual banquet Thursday evening, February 3, at the Quincy House. The committee on arrangements has prepared a fine program for the night. Andrew J. [illegible] is to be the toastmaster. The committee on arrangements consists of D. C. Otis, J. Glidden, William R. Grinnell, C. D. Anderson, T. N. Shufelt and W. Winers.

MRS. BOWLKER DECLARES WOMAN'S DUTY IS TO KEEP CITY CLEAN AND HEALTHFUL

THAT the women of Boston should keep the city clean and healthful and be the city's housekeepers and homemakers is the assertion of Mrs. T. James Bowlker, president of the Women's Municipal League and sister of President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard University. She declares that to keep her own home neat and clean is not sufficient for any woman, and that every woman should keep house for the entire city.

The city is like one great house, says Mrs. Bowlker, and the women should think of each building as a different apartment and its streets the corridors. If they will, she insists, the women can come together like sisters and make of the city a true home, doing away with corruption and suffering.

"It is woman's work," said Mrs. Bowlker to the Sunday American, "and only a woman can do it. There are two things that men cannot do—housekeeping and homemaking—and the women must do it for them.

"In old times, before our cities became so densely crowded, each woman lived in her own house, more or less isolated from others, and upon her lay the sole responsibility for its keeping. If she wished it to be clean she could make it so. If she wished her children to be well brought up, she could accomplish it, and if she failed the whole responsibility of the failure rested on her.

"But to-day the conditions have changed and no one can be wholly responsible any more [illegible] their own homes, for no one can be responsible for what their neighbors may do. We have become so closely related that the health and happiness of each individual depends utterly on the health and happiness of all other people.

WOMEN MUST BROADEN VISION.

"And what is the result?

"The result [illegible] women [illegible] they must broaden their vision, must widen their outlook and the scope of their housekeeping. They must learn that the city [illegible] their own house, one great house, the home that belongs [illegible] and the separate places in which we happen to live [illegible] the rooms of this great house, the streets are its corridors and upon us who live in it as one great family of brothers and sisters lies the duty to make of this house a clean, sweet, healthy home. This [illegible] the special and [illegible] share of the world's work which belongs exclusively to women.

"There are [illegible] that women can do just as men [illegible] the [illegible] done [illegible] way and just as well done. But there is one thing that only [illegible] do, that no man has ever yet succeeded in [illegible]. It sounds [illegible] perhaps. It is, really, [illegible] and of vital [illegible]. It is woman's great work, the peculiar gift that she has for the world—the power of making a home. And the problem for all women [illegible]. How can the women combine together and so order their work that they shall fulfill effectively their special duty?

"The world [illegible] to understand more and more clearly that the two great laws of Nature on which all evolution and progress are founded are differentiation [illegible] the law of specialization in function, and co-operation [illegible] the law of [illegible]. Until recently [illegible] beings have [illegible] [illegible] specialized [illegible] co-operated [illegible] [illegible] specialization and the [illegible] tion has come.

WOMEN'S NEGLECT MEANS WORK UNDONE.

"Women [illegible] must do broadly what they used to do narrowly. The question for women is: 'What are the great bulk of women, with their present training, ready now to accomplish in co-operation with men?'

"Women must not think their own share of trifling significance because the parts that [illegible] small. Woman's share is [illegible] the unnoticed foundation on which all social vigor and morality rest. We [illegible] know that the [illegible] essential to the [illegible], for its [illegible] for its [illegible]. As [illegible] through all life, the seemingly small things [illegible] the vitally [illegible] things. If women neglect their right share of the world's work it will be left forever undone. Men cannot do it.

"Women to-day are fitted as they never were before by aptitude and training for the careful and thorough supervision of detail, for the painstaking patience that is needed to see that orders which have been given are thoroughly and satisfactorily carried out. The [illegible] men and are more deeply interested in the health and the welfare of the children [illegible]. Women are closer to the needs of the children [illegible] in growing [illegible] therefore [illegible] the [illegible] enthusiasm and the work of women can supplement and complete the work [illegible].

"The Women's Municipal League intends gradually to include [illegible] scope of its work all the possible activities of women in the city, but first it considers the education of the women themselves as the matter of first importance.

CO-OPERATION NECESSARY TO SUCCESS.

"No one woman [illegible] can have much influence, but if all women will take the trouble [illegible] themselves until they have gained an intelligent appreciation [illegible] their [illegible] their opportunities [illegible] there [illegible] limit [illegible] to what their influence may accomplish.

"The most important way for women to work for the public good is to co-operate intelligently with the government of the city and see that there [illegible] and no dishonesty in the way subordinates do work [illegible] to them, in street [illegible] collecting or enforcing the [illegible] and inspection. Money [illegible] away fast in small careless [illegible] and slackness of overseers [illegible] fruitful cause for much waste. Whenever the city's money is [illegible] there is need of more money [illegible] raised, and [illegible] everyone, for the landlords raise [illegible] the poorest [illegible]. Then, too, there is less to [illegible] playgrounds and [illegible] schools and [illegible]

"Women should make sure to see that the city's money is not wasted. [illegible] League wants women to come to its conferences to give suggestions and to talk things over freely.

[illegible] the North West [illegible] to make a [illegible]

"Our committee on markets paid the salary for three months of a woman [illegible] the Board of Health as unpaid market inspector. This object [illegible] to educate both the dealer and the consumer to appreciate the importance of cleaner provision shops and the need of protecting food from dust and flies.

HOW GREAT PROBLEM MAY BE SOLVED.

"We want to unite with [illegible] women of every type and of every kind of occupation, women of [illegible] and women who must work, women of culture and education and [illegible] without these advantages, all kinds of women to give [illegible] experience, their work and money and interest.

"The [illegible] thing [illegible] women can give, the one [illegible] that [illegible] the peculiar gift of women [illegible] influence for good, the subtle, persuasive [illegible] a home.

"[illegible] our city and make it more [illegible] problem of all modern civilization [illegible] city. If we can make a true home [illegible] vices and horrors and miseries [illegible] women will [illegible] the vision of what they may be and [illegible] upward.

"[illegible] say we cannot [illegible] this thing. We have never tried [illegible] have sat by [illegible] fail. At least we can make the attempt and go on with our mission with strong patience, deep conviction and the power to be quiet and wait for results."

KEENE WILL TESTIFY.

Millionaire to Tell What He Knows About the Hocking Pool.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—James R. Keene accepted service of the legal documents which necessitate his attendance in the Federal Court here, to testify as to his knowledge of all the circumstances surrounding the Hocking railroad pool, of which he is credited with being the manager, after more or less bickering with the attaches of the Waldorf-Astoria to-day.

After the service of the papers a mutual agreement was reached whereby Mr. Keene is to be permitted to go to the country for a week's recuperation. His examination is set for [redacted] February 1.

S. A. R. ANNUAL SMOKER.

100 Members and Guests at Boston City Club.

Fully 100 members and guests of the Old Suffolk Chapter, Sons of the American Revolution, gathered at the Boston City Club, No. 9 Beacon street last night, to attend the 100th meeting and the annual smoker and dinner. Past President Vernon A. Field was toastmaster. The speakers were Edward C. Battis of Salem, president of the Massachusetts State Society, S. A. R.; Charles M. Green, treasurer of Massachusetts State Society, S. A. R.; Rev. R. Perry Bush, D. D., of Chelsea; Captain John S. Barrows, president of Boston Chapter; General Philip Reade, retired, of Lowell; Rev. Nelson S. Burbank of Revere and Judge Cutler of Revere.

CLOSING ON SLAYER OF CONCORD GROCER

New Clue May Solve Mystery of Shooting of Fellows in His Own Yard.

CONCORD, N. H., Jan. 29.—A clew to the murderer of Charles H. Fellows, a well known [illegible] was shot to death in his own [illegible]

[illegible]

Cried "I'm Shot."

[illegible]

Held Up and Robbed.

[illegible]

Vorenberg's 99-Cent Window.

[illegible]

Mark Silver Wedding.

[illegible]

STAR PERFORMERS IN MINSTREL SHOW

Catholic Club of Dorchester to Give Seventh Annual Show This Week.

THE Catholic Club of Dorchester will [illegible] annual minstrel show [illegible] Thursday.

[illegible]

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"FRAMINGHAM GONE BROKE? NO SIR!" SAY CITIZENS

Guess We Can Stand Up and Pay the Help Awhile Yet," New Treasurer States.

SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, Jan. 29.—The report of Harvey S. Chase, the Boston expert accountant, who was employed to look into the financial affairs of this town, to the effect that within the past [illegible] years [illegible] B. Lombard, former treasurer, [illegible] passed $1,185,000 in alleged forged [illegible] has [illegible] a rumor to get into [illegible] that South Framingham is broke, [illegible] barefooted and hungry.

But if that is the case you can't find anybody in this town that knows it. Most of the people are eating three times a day and they haven't even boycotted meat yet. The school teachers are being paid, $750 has recently been added to the police fund and about $6,000 paid to ascertain just where the town is at.

While the report of Mr. Chase intimated that the town should curtail its expenses, and made suggestions as to a better system of bookkeeping, he said that other towns and cities and the whole State and nation, for that matter, were practically in the same boat.

As the result of Lombard's alleged transactions with Charles S. Cummings, a Boston note broker, there are $320,000 notes of the town not paid, but the authorities declare the town cannot be held for these and that they will make a mighty hard legal fight before they will pay them.

Even if the town is held liable for the notes the people are not greatly worried.

In the office of the town treasurer, F. N. Haynes was found in charge yesterday. It was pay day and there seemed to be plenty of money to meet those on the salary lists of the town.

"Does this appear like we are broke?" asked Mr. Haynes in reply to the question if South Framingham is on the financially embarrassed list. "Nothing like it," he continued, "and I guess we can stand up for some time to come and pay off the help."

"Broke? I Guess Not!"

"As a matter of fact we are not even likely to have to increase the tax rate. True, we are behind to a certain extent, our liabilities exceeding our quick assets, but the community is prosperous and in no danger of being without funds.

"Why, South Framingham is rich in industry, our property is valuable and the assessed valuation is more than ten million dollars. The new valuation this year probably will exceed eleven million.

"We [illegible] even of our credit has been [illegible]. For those who understand the situation, bankers and brokers would have no hesitancy in placing our loans for us. We've got money all right.

"As a matter of fact, I doubt even if we will pay any of the $320,000 outstanding in forged notes. There has been a vast difference of opinion as to the responsibility, and I believe, with the majority of the men with whom I have talked regarding the matter, that the holders of this spurious paper will have to stand the loss. Broke? Not South Framingham!"

Frank E. Hemenway was busy in the adjoining room working a tabulating machine. A pile of checks lay on the table. These had been signed by the new treasurer, Arthur Fitts, and were for the current expenses. Mr. Hemenway is the Town Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Selectmen.

"Not to be Pitied."

"The report of the public accountants in the case of South Framingham is misleading," said Mr. Hemenway, in answer to the question if the town is broke. "We are not even in financial distress. We owe some money, yes, but we can pay and many times the amount.

"We are far from trouble. Of course this has been a great annoyance to us, but I believe it will not be necessary to pay the outstanding forged notes for $320,000. And we can meet our regular needs and obligations with little difficulty.

"The report of the accountants does not take into consideration the property assets of the town. We have eleven million dollars in taxable property. We are not poor nor are we to be pitied."

ST. MARY'S PARISH REUNION

West Quincy Church Event Will Be Held on Tuesday Night.

The annual parish reunion of St. Mary's Church, West Quincy, will be held on Tuesday evening in St. Mary's Hall. A large committee is co-operating with the pastor, Rev. Henry T. Grady, and his assistant, Rev. William J. Duffy, in promoting the success of the gathering. Mayor William T. Shea is chairman of the reception committee, and School Committeeman James F. Burke is at the head of the general committee.

The floor will be in charge of Councilman John D. Smith.

"SEE ME; I AM IT," SAYS MR. DUNCAN, DANCER

Airily-Clad Near-Greek Declares Himself Champion All-round Civilized Man.

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

"I KNOW nothing. Therefore I know everything. I am the greatest dancer in the world. I am the greatest living musician. I have taught the greatest artists painting, and the greatest sculptors their art. I am probably the only healthy man in the United States."

Sounds pretty bumptious, doesn't it? But you should have seen the man who said it. It was Raymond Duncan, the Hellenized American, who with his wife, Greek Penelope, his half-Greek son Menalkas, and his whole Greek sister-in-law Elini, are stopping at the Hotel Barton. The Duncans wear weird apparel. So much has been written about their scant clothes that there has been little space for their unique personalities. [illegible] pretty bald [illegible] one feels like saying,

"Raymond, you have a swelled head."

Reminder of the Witch.

But when he looks you in the eye and mentions his accomplishments casually, he doesn't sound so egotistical. Raymond Duncan is a little man. In evening clothes and top hat he would not be laughable. Clad in his woolen blanket, with his long hair falling over his shoulders, his sharp features and chin in need of a shave, he makes one think of the "witch of Endor" in Macbeth.

I went to see Raymond because I wondered how he could interpret Greek tragedies by dancing, even assisted by his wife Penelope. We didn't talk much about dancing, because his ideas [illegible] and universe in general are so amazing that all I could do was listen.

He talked at length upon the comfort of his blanket, and with his right hand kept brushing back the long hair which was falling into his eyes.

"Wouldn't you be more comfortable with your hair short?" I suggested.

Raymond snorted. "Short hair," he declared, "is a sign of the decadence of a race. England, France, Germany and America, they are all decadent. The cutting of hair proves it."

"How do you make that out?"

"In the whole country there is not a perfectly healthy man," declared Raymond. "That proves it. Why, the men that you would call healthy I would soon prove to be unhealthy. Take Theodore Roosevelt, your former President.

A Mania for Killing.

"Of course President's [illegible] much of a job, [illegible] the best you can offer a man. When he left this post did he busy himself with the good of his country men? No, he goes to Africa to kill animals. He has a mania for killing. That is not a healthful, sane man. What does he it for."

"He needed a vacation."

"Bah, I never take a vacation. Nobody needs a vacation."

"You haven't been President of the United States."

"I have [illegible] doing something of more importance. I have made the greatest discovery of the age, the recovery of the ancient Greek music. Modern composers know nothing; they are all wrong. Their music is nothing but noise, financial noise. It is horrible to the ear."

"Don't you think Beethoven wrote music?"

"No. He tried to, but he did not succeed. He did not know how to write music and so he couldn't express his thoughts. He was the greatest of the composers, however. Wagner, pooh! Mozart, bah! They didn't know anything about music. I am the greatest musician of the age because I alone know the true music."

An All-Round Artist.

"Then you don't like the modern orchestra?"

Raymond made a wry face.

"Through my knowledge of true music and true dance I can do anything. I have been called by Rodin and Carre the greatest draftsman they ever saw and yet I know nothing about drawing. Why, I have been asked to deliver a lecture on electrical engineering in the Cooper Institute in New York. I know nothing about electrical engineering. Why do you suppose they asked me to lecture?" He paused expectantly.

"Maybe they want to laugh," I suggested.

Raymond's eyes flashed but he didn't get mad. He merely said with dignity:

"Because they think that I can tell them something they don't know [illegible] of the knowledge of vibration I have acquired from the study of Greek music. That's why."

A diversion was created by the entrance of a small being in a blue shirt and nothing more. It was Menalkas, the child of Penelope and Raymond, who was arrested in New York because of his scanty attire.

"My son," declared Raymond, "is living in the natural way. I teach him nothing, but he observes and imitates and his mind grows."

WHAT THE CENSUS MAN WILL ASK YOU

What is your house number?
What is your name?
The names of the members of your family?
What is the relationship of these people to you?
How old are you?
Are you single, married, widowed, or divorced?
How long have you been married, if at all?
How many children have you?
Where were you born?
Where was your father born? Your mother?
How long have you been in this country?
Are you naturalized?
Can you speak English? If not, what can you speak?
What is your occupation?
Are you employed or an employer?
Were you out of work April 15, 1909?
How long out of work in 1909?
Can you read and write?
Do you own or rent your home? Any mortgage?
Are you a survivor of the union or confederate navy or army?
Are you blind? One or both eyes?
And—lastly—
Are you deaf or dumb?

"I'M DRIVING GRAFT FROM SALEM," SAYS MAYOR HOWARD

SALEM, Jan. 29.—"I've got graft on the run," is Arthur P. Howard's epitome of his first month's work as Mayor of Salem.

Howard is the young editor who stepped from a prison cell to the Mayor's office in the "Witch City," and who forthwith declared that he would do things to make the people take notice.

"True, there is some graft left," declared the Mayor today, "but it is exceedingly small compared with when I took office. But I'll keep after the grafters," he added, vigorously, "and I'll drive them all out. I'm coming down the stretch now."

The proprietor and editor of the Salem Dispatch, who became Mayor six weeks after he registered as a voter and a year after his entry into Salem as a stranger, says that he is already well on the way to making the city a "spotless town." Here are some of the things he has done, according to his own view.

What Howard Has Done.

Reorganized the police force, placed it on a business basis and put at its head an experienced policeman.

Forced liquor sellers to obey the law.

Closed over a score of "speak easies."

Driven minors from pool rooms and from the picture theatres during school hours.

Driven rowdyism from the streets and stopped loitering on the main thoroughfares.

Compelled clubs to adhere strictly to the spirit of the liquor law.

Awakened, through his paper, the public to the [illegible] of civic reforms.

Closed up boxing clubs which he thought were being run in violation of the law.

Again put Salem on the map [illegible] ex-Mayor Hurley.

The eternal question in Salem is: "What is the Mayor going to do next?"

Mayor Howard answers the question himself. "I am going to keep on trying to make Salem better and better every day," he says. "If my efforts meet with the same success in the coming month as they have in the past I think we will have a model city."

To secure the reforms he has been striving for, Mayor Howard is using a two-fold medium—his office of Mayor, and his position as editor of the Salem Dispatch.

At every meeting of the Board of Aldermen, over which he presides, the Mayor demands certain reforms. Some of them are turned down, some are tabled, some are passed. In every issue of the Dispatch Howard advocates reform.

Better Fire Service.

He is working to secure better fire protection, and has recommended the purchase of an auto chemical and ladder.

He has recommended the establishment of branch libraries throughout the city.

He has advocated a single branch of the city government. Although he has met with considerable opposition in this, he believes that the matter will come before the voters at the next election, and that the people will decide to change the city charter.

"What we need in Salem is a live business organization," declared the Mayor today. "We need an association that will consist of all business men."

He brought charges against one of the hotels, and although the License Board did not revoke its license, other hotel keepers decided to look out for Howard. He got the evidence himself, simply walking in, looking around and writing out a formal complaint.

In his campaign Howard accumulated a criminal libel suit brought by Alderman Michael J. Doyle and Robin Damon, publisher of the Evening News. The case is on this week's calendar.

REUNION TO AID CHURCH.

St. Matthew's Parish Gives Party on Wednesday Evening.

The reunion of St. Matthew's parish in Dorchester promises to be a great success. It will be held next Wednesday evening at Navillus Hall, Bowdoin street. Judging from the sale of the tickets, will be the biggest reunion in the history of the parish. Rev. John V. Cronin, assistant pastor of St. Matthew's, has been indefatigable in his work to make the party a success. Arrangements have been made to have special cars run to the hall from Norfolk street before and after the party. Music will be furnished by the Waverly Orchestra under the leadership of Thomas O'Connor. The proceeds are to be devoted to the new church on Stanton street.

SCHOOL HEALTH ALARMING.

Three-quarters of New York Pupils Found with Some Disease.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—That three-fourths of the children attending public schools in Manhattan are suffering with some kind of disease is the alarming report just sent to the Board of Education by City Superintendent Maxwell.

The limited number of physicians has prevented all the children being examined, but up to date the number found to be needing medical or surgical aid is 242,048.

There are 38,329 children with defective vision, 73,058, with defective nasal breathing, 3,471, partly deaf; 183,869 have defective teeth and 145,066 harbor parasites.

Hen Travels 10,000 Miles.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 29.—At the poultry show here is a little brown leghorn hen whose owner, H. D. Rogers of La Crosse, Wis., asserts is the greatest chicken traveller on record. He says that this bird has traveled more than 10,000 miles attending poultry shows, and has won her weight in ribbons.

WATCH OUT! CENSUS MEN AFTER YOUR FAMILY HISTORY

Nineteen Hundred and Ninety-Two Men Training for 19,000,000 Question List.

NEARLY 2,000 [illegible] citizens of Massachusetts will go forth April 15 and count noses for two weeks. When they finish their labors May 1 we will know just how many there are of us in the old Bay State. For Uncle Sam's census will be taken here as elsewhere throughout the country in those two weeks.

At the office of Charles F. Gettemy, director of the Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and supervisor of the census for Massachusetts, clerks are getting ready to select the 1,992 men [illegible] will [illegible] jobs, and the successful ones will be chosen after examinations which will be held in 100 different places in the State next Saturday.

After they are chosen, the 1,992 will be given their instructions and will then be ready to go out [illegible] April 15. They [illegible] women and the [illegible] others not having regular employment to pick up about $60 in pin money. That is about what each enumerator may expect to earn at the rate of 2½ cents [illegible] of persons and ten cents per animal on the farms.

Will Ask You Thirty-two Questions.

The enumerators will ask thirty-two questions of the head of each family. Some of the [illegible] to be oversensitive. But since Uncle Sam isn't going to "give away" the information and will record the facts by numbers instead of by names, the facts ought to be given readily.

The 1,992 enumerators, as they are called, will be a part of the army who will count the population of the [illegible] square miles of the United States. Ten years ago they discovered that there were 76,303,387 of us. Now there must be close to 80,000,000 and perhaps as many as 90,000,000, for the population of the good old United States grows very rapidly. Race suicide in America has been set forth as a national menace by some experts elsewhere, but when Uncle Sam finishes his count it will likely be found that it hasn't reached such disastrous proportions after all.

Some fault was found with the last census and President Taft is eager to have this one proof against criticism. "I take great pride in this census," he said recently. "I believe we can make it the best census that has been taken."

Over 19,000,000 Queries

In Boston about 1,500 men and women have applied for jobs as enumerators. [illegible] between eighteen and seventy is carried. Five hundred enumerators will be appointed. They will work two weeks, April 15 to May 1. They will count more than 600,000 people in Boston. There were 595,084 Bostonians in the State census of 1905. They will ask more than 19,000,000 questions. They will earn an average of $60 each.

The 1,992 in Massachusetts will count more than 3,000,000 people, because the 1900 census men found 2,805,346 in this State ten years ago.

The job will be divided [illegible] blocks, and each enumerator will have a certain limited territory to cover. He should be able to do it easily in the twelve working days at his disposal. In the city it will be simple. In the country where [illegible] are frequently [illegible] it will be more difficult, and some of these jobs [illegible] Uncle Sam allows [illegible] for expenses.

Each applicant has to fill out a sample sheet of answers [illegible] ability to [illegible] statements and to write [illegible]. Thus the examination next Saturday will [illegible] and the [illegible] will be selected in order of merit. Nobody knows just what questions will be asked in the examination. Director Gettemy will not receive the list of questions until late in the week.

Chance for Interpreters.

As nearly as possible each enumerator will be allotted to the district most convenient to his home. There may be some difficulty in counting the foreigners who speak little or no English. But in the sections where these people dwell enumerators will be appointed [illegible] language. Director Gettemy takes a census five years after the United States enumeration, and he has an excellent system all built up. He has the largest district in the United States, Massachusetts and Rhode Island being the only States in a single district. Elsewhere each Congressional District is an enumeration district.

All of the count will be dated as April 15, no matter what day the enumerator gets around. [illegible] born April 16, for instance, will not be counted. Persons married April [illegible] will also be put down as single. Persons in jail April 15 will have the jail [illegible] as their "usual place of abode."

It will be the greatest count the world has ever known, and when it is done Uncle Sam will be in a position to know just how many children he has and how they are all getting along in the world.

RUSSELL ANNOUNCES CHANGE IN BOSTON OPERA PLANS

Thursday Evening Performances Will Be Abandoned and Saturday Nights Resumed.

A CHANGE in the policy of the Boston Opera Company has been announced by Henry Russell to take effect the [illegible] to Boston.

The Thursday evening performances of opera will be abandoned in order to give sufficient time for rehearsals of new works. In its place Saturday evening performances will be resumed. Popular prices will rule on Saturday nights, and instead of debutantes the best and most [illegible] singers of the company will be used for these performances and in every respect they will equal those arranged for subscription nights.

A large number of persons subscribed for the Thursday evening performances. [illegible] will be refunded or if they [illegible] can have the same seats on Saturday nights and the difference in price will be returned to them.

Maria Gay will be heard once more in Boston in "Carmen." She sails for Europe [illegible]. The other bills are:

MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7.

"Carmen," opera in four acts, in French, by Bizet.

Don Jose	Florencio Constantino
Escamillo	George Baklanoff
Il Dancairo	C. Stroesco
[illegible]	[illegible]
Zuniga	Francis Archambault
Morales	Attilio Pulcini
Carmen	Maria Gay
Micaela	Lydia Lipkowska
Frasquita	Matilde Lewicka
Mercedes	Bettina Freeman
Musical Director	Arnaldo Conti
Regisseur General	Delfino Menotti

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 9.

"Don Pasquale," opera in three acts, in Italian, by Donizetti.

Norina	Alice Nielsen
Ernesto	Paul Bourrillon
Dottor Malatesta	Rodolfo Fornari
Don Pasquale	Antonio Pini-Corsi
Un Notaro	C. Stroesco

Followed by

"Il Maestro Di Capella," opera in one act, in Italian, by Paer.

Benetto	Antonio Pini-Corsi
Barnaba	[illegible]
Gertrude	Alice Nielsen
Musical Director	Arnaldo Conti
Regisseur General	Delfino Menotti

FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 11.

"Lucia di Lammermoor," opera in three acts, in Italian, by Donizetti.

Edgar	Florencio Constantino
Lord Ashton	Rodolfo Fornari
[illegible]	[illegible]
Raymond	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Lucy	Lydia Lipkowska
Alice	Vaughan [illegible]
Grand Corps de Ballet.	
Musical Director	Arturo Lazzari
Regisseur General	Delfino Menotti

SATURDAY MATINEE, FEBRUARY 12.

"Madama Butterfly," opera in three acts, in Italian, by Puccini.

Butterfly	Alice Nielsen
Suzuki	Bettina Freeman
Kate Pinkerton	Lena Kirma
F. B. Pinkerton	[illegible]
Sharpless	Rodolfo Fornari
[illegible]	[illegible]
Principe Yamadori	Attilio Pulcini
Lo Zio Bonzo	Francis Archambault
Il Commissario Imperiale	Giuseppe [illegible]
L'Ufficiale del Registro	C. Stroesco
La Madre di Cio-Cio-San	Flavia Leveroni
[illegible]	[illegible]
Musical Director	Arnaldo Conti
Regisseur General	Delfino Menotti

SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 12.

"Il Trovatore," opera in four acts, in Italian, by Verdi.

Manrico	Carlo Cartica
Il Conte de Luna	[illegible]
Ferrando	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]
Leonora	[illegible]
Inez	Virginia Pierce
Azucena	Rosa Olitzka
Musical Director	Arturo Lazzari
Regisseur General	Delfino Menotti

TO HOLD REUNION.

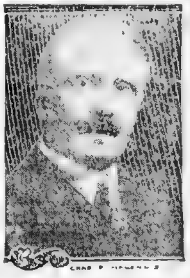
The annual reunion of the priests and people of the parish of St. John the Evangelist, Winthrop, will take place Tuesday evening in the main hall of the Winthrop [illegible].

A large committee of men and a committee of the women of the parish, both under the leadership of the Rev. Daniel F. Gorman, assistant pastor, have been in charge of the preparations for the gathering, which promises to be a largely attended and highly enjoyable affair.

Joined with the parish reunion this year will be the celebration of the silver jubilee of the pastor, the Rev. John H. Griffin, who was ordained to the priesthood twenty-five years ago.

The evening's program will include brief addresses of members of the parish, a concert of vocal and instrumental selections, the presentation of a testimonial to Father Griffin and an hour's dancing and whist for the younger members of the company.

ARCHITECT WHO IS TO TELL OF BUILDING BY ANCIENT GAELS



$2,000,000 LOWELL WORK

Grade Crossings to Be Eliminated by Boston & Maine.

LOWELL, Jan. 29.—Under the New York, New Haven & Hartford-Boston & Maine management, $2,000,000 will be expended on Lowell grade crossings during the next five years. President Mellen has given the word and there will be no delay. The abolition of the [illegible] School [illegible] and Walker streets crossings, next Spring, is the first step in the work of revolutionizing Lowell's railroad trackage. Petitions for the elimination of the Middlesex street, Western avenue and Fletcher street crossings have been made and a commission will soon be appointed to consider this work. At the lowest estimate, the latter petitions mean the expenditure of $1,500,000.

Bishop to Officiate.

Bishop Lawrence will consecrate Emmanuel Episcopal Church, West Roxbury, Sunday morning, February 13. Through the efforts of the rector of this church, the Rev. Samuel Snelling, the debt has been paid.

ST. BRENDAN FOLK TO HOLD REUNION

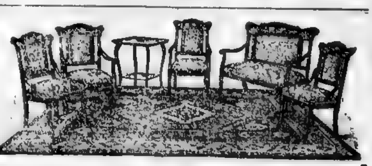
[illegible] To-night [illegible] Upon [illegible]

T[illegible]

ALUMNI PLAN REUNION.

The Episcopal Theological School Graduates to Meet

The Alumni of the Episcopal Theological School [illegible] hold their reunion [illegible] Boston [illegible]



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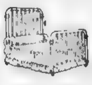

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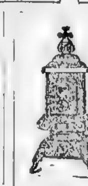

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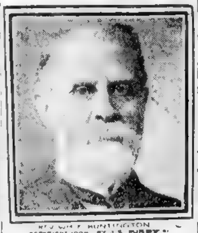

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[illegible] he has seen such gaps filled. He has seen the right triumph.

With the experience of trying to see some of the heads of colleges and universities (some of them not far from Boston, and who detest reporters and publicity, and frankly say so frequently), it was natural for me to think that Prest. [illegible] Huntington might be difficult to reach.

I [illegible] on the telephone, [illegible] Huntington [illegible] answered.

He Believes in Reporters.

Why, certainly! Come right up," he said cordially. "I always like to meet [illegible] I believe in them."

He suggested that noon was a good hour [illegible] He was busy with some [illegible] when he received [illegible]

[illegible]

"What has brought it about?"

[illegible]

"How much money would you need for that?"

"About $50,000. That would give us an income of $2,500. We would like to have as much more for laboratory equipment."

Aside from finances and financial problems, Dr. Huntington said [illegible]

Lincoln's Type Yet Lives.

[illegible]

Yes, there is no more expounding of the [illegible] It is better so. [illegible] young men and women [illegible] more and more questions [illegible] the battle between science and religion, the higher criticism, modernism, etc.

I do not think that controversy is anything like as acute as it was when this university began, thirty years or more ago. Both sides have given ground."

Dr. Huntington was asked if he teaches [illegible]

[illegible]" he said, "but perhaps not in the [illegible] literalistic sense."

Fewer Believe Literally.

He said that he thought it to be quite [illegible] fewer and fewer members of the [illegible] believe in the literal story of Genesis, and as for hell fire, that was gone from [illegible] backward pulpits.

If the clergymen for the most part and their congregations either give a very liberal interpretation to Genesis or refuse to accept it, do you think it is right to go on teaching the children in the Sunday schools that Adam and Eve were our first parents, [illegible] world was created in seven days?"

"I do not," said Dr. Huntington emphatically. "I most certainly do not."

Asked what his plans were when he [illegible]

"I know [illegible] better than anybody else," he said, referring to himself. "I know that the work is getting too heavy for me. I love Boston University and I know that a young man can do this work better. I shall go out to my home in Newton [illegible]

Yes, old warrior, the battle will long rage against the legions of [illegible] If one would search [illegible] would make futile [illegible]

Sixty-six years young if ever a mortal man may thus be described. Boston will more than once break in on your peaceful retirement and demand counsel from that great store of wisdom and experience which you began as a boy among the stumps of your father's Wisconsin farm, and which you have achieved in your long, helpful, righteous life.

The Dr. Huntingtons in the great university chairs are none too many and it will take a big man to fill your soon-to-be-vacated seat.

BABIES? WORTH OVER A MILLION APIECE; SO GET RICH!

County Register Fitzgerald Disagrees With Fleischer on His 3-Child Limit.

IT'S GREAT TO BE "DADDY"

Official and Lincoln Rivals for Fourth Place in Estimation of Five Husky Kids.

REGISTER W. T. A. FITZGERALD of Suffolk County thinks that Rabbi Charles Fleischer is all wrong on his [illegible] children to a family idea.

Register Fitzgerald is five time a "daddy" and is proud of it.

His kids, as he says, [illegible] regard [illegible] as the greatest [illegible] Of course, the Register [illegible] the older the kids [illegible] the more [illegible] views change.

[illegible] childish estimate, to quote the [illegible] again.

"God comes first."

"Santa Claus is a close [illegible]

"George Washington [illegible]

"Daddy is fighting hard [illegible] against Abraham Lincoln."

The Register doesn't [illegible] on the basis of [illegible] Nor does he think large [illegible] As a matter of fact, he holds [illegible] two or three children [illegible] the luxuries and comfort.

Poor, But a Millionaire

Rabbi Fleischer has [illegible] there were three children in every family, the birth rate would offset the death rate. The rabbi objects to people [illegible] numbers of children into the [illegible] present hardships and [illegible]

Register Fitzgerald [illegible] thought about it, said:

"I do not agree with Rabbi Fleischer that there should be [illegible] placed on the number of children in the modern family," said Mr. Fitzgerald.

"It is unnatural and contrary to the teachings of civilization that parents should feel that there was an obligation upon them to have not more than three children in the family.

"Personally, I feel that the multiplication of the human race presents no difficulty that cannot be readily surmounted by human effort. [illegible] never allowed to [illegible] world a mouth for which there was not provided the means for proper sustenance, and I believe he has given to his creatures the will and the power to properly care for the children of the race.

"I am somewhat in the position of an old farmer in New Hampshire who did not present a very prosperous personal appearance, but who said that he was worth five million dollars, and explained his wealth by saying that it did [illegible] five healthy and obedient children [illegible] he valued at a million [illegible]

"Daddy" and Lincoln.

"While poor in this world's [illegible] feel that I am wealthy [illegible] of five children [illegible]

[illegible]

"Of course I regret to say as they grow older [illegible] Sunday School was taught them that God comes first, while Santa Claus is a close second, George Washington is a good third, and daddy is fighting hard to hold fourth place against Abraham Lincoln.

"A married man who is so unfortunate as to have no children does not know the real pleasure that he misses in the association with a number of active, rollicking children, the participation in their boyish and girlish games and exercise keeps the parent young, and great [illegible] derived from knowing that [illegible] court of last resort to settle [illegible] questions and disputes. The pleasure and happiness that children bring to the parents more than compensates them for the expense and necessary worry and anxiety attending their education and training.

Small Families Raise Prices.

"I believe it is very unwise to treat the human race as a commodity and to attempt to [illegible] it as Rabbi Fleischer would by the law of supply and demand [illegible] for providing that the [illegible] be kept down [illegible] level with the death rate. [illegible] counted on the side of the large family.

"I do not think that large families have any particular [illegible] upon the high prices of meat and other commodities [illegible] I am of the opinion that those who believe in restricting families to two or three children have more to do with the increased cost of living, because they insist upon obtaining pleasure and comfort and luxuries, and thereby raise the standard of living, whereas the parents of a large family are satisfied with more simple food and dispense with luxuries and extravagance."

M'PHIE IN CANADA.

Bostonian Will Direct Revival at St. John, N. B.

Rev. Duncan McPhie, the general secretary of the Chapman Alexander campaign here, will direct, with the help of others, a similar evangelistic campaign in St. John, N. B., next week. This is the first time that [illegible] has been held in the maritime provinces.

HERE'S "BABY" IN COUNTY REGISTER'S FAMILY OF SEVEN

PAUL FITZGERALD

INVITATION HORSE SHOW DRAWS CROWD

Winners Announced for Second Session of Meet in the Back Bay.

The second session of the Invitation Horse Show was even more largely attended than the first, a week ago, when [illegible] was [illegible] yesterday afternoon at the quarters of the New Riding Club, Hemenway [illegible] The [illegible] were William H. Seabury, Dr. Samuel A. Hopkins, Arthur W. Stedman and Gerard Remont. There were eight classes shown. The winners follow:

Special class for saddle horses up to 2[illegible] pounds—First, Mikado, b. g., 16.1, aged, Miss Leslie Bradley; second, Vahand, b. g., 16.2, six years, [illegible] Trayer, aged, M[illegible], ch. m., [illegible] aged, W. D. Denegre; fourth, [illegible] ch. g., [illegible] aged, Miss Alice Thorndike.

Class X, pony hacks, 14.3 and under [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] 3, seven years, Hammond M. Whitney; third, Iron Duke, gr. g., 16, five years, Mrs. A. H. [illegible] fourth, Harvard, ch. g., 15.3½, aged, Robert S. Bradley.

Class XIV, hacks, thoroughbred type, over 15.2—First, Carnation, b. m., 16, Miss Elizabeth Sk[illegible]; second, Bay Jimmie, b. g., 16, 7 years, Miss O. Thorndike; third, Hard Luck, b. g., aged, Mrs. Philip Dexter; fourth, Tacony, ch. g., 16, W. D. Denegre.

Class XV, the M[illegible] Cup for ladies' hacks, open to members and those entitled to the privileges of the club, only ladies to ride, for horses over 14.3, appointments and general appearance [illegible]

[illegible]

Class XVI, hunters, conformation and performance [illegible]

BIG AUSTIN & STONE BILL.

Elaborate Program Offered This Week for Patrons.

It's a big week at Austin & Stone's Museum, commencing to-morrow, for the most elaborate program which has ever been prepared for this amusement resort will be offered to the patron. There will be two big stage shows which include the popular Manhattan Maids and five all-star vaudeville acts, as well as the best motion pictures and illustrated songs. The features of the museum entertainment include Signor Giovanni's famous monkey actors, Mlle. Rosa's performing cockatoo, Professor Barrett and his honey bees, Madame De Vere, bearded lady; D. C. Dillon, the upside-down man; Marvelous Martins, etc.

Seeks Missing Son.

William Clements of Wickford, R. I., is anxious to hear from his nineteen year old son Harold L. Clements, who disappeared early in November in New York City. "My son went to New York in September and secured a position as hall boy at The Schaler Arms, an apartment at No. 307 West 98th street. He wrote me the first week in November and since then all my letters have returned unopened."

MILK CHARGES TO GO TO GOVERNOR

"Corrupt Favoritism" Allegation in Dairy Inspection Will Be Threshed Over.

Charges of "corrupt favoritism" in the inspection of dairies, made at a public hearing in the State House, will be called early this week to the attention of Governor Draper.

The charge is made by James L. Harrington, a Lunenburg farmer. Harrington's complaint is part of the battle of the farmers against giving the State Board of Health further power to regulate the milk business. The farms are under the jurisdiction of local boards.

"I know of a case out my way," said Harrington, "where a wealthy man considered that the straw that had made a bed for horses one night was good enough for cows on the second night. The State Board of Health rules that you must not do this.

"An inspector came along, noted conditions, and told our wealthy friend that the practice must stop at once. The man of wealth [illegible] see somebody big enough to stop it. And what happened? We looked for the report of the inspector and we found that [illegible] conditions about [illegible]

Dr. Mark W. Richardson of the State board said last [illegible] that he [illegible] Harrington charges for [illegible]

"The State Board [illegible]" said Dr. Richardson, [illegible] of duties. He is Dr. Austin H. Rose, a veterinary. Dr. Rose [illegible] years ago on the recommendation of the State Dairy Bureau. It is [illegible] It is quite impossible for [illegible] the dairies of the State oftener than once in three years."

Dr. Rose, at his home in Concord, would say nothing more than that he courts the fullest investigation. "My hands are perfectly clean," said the State board veterinarian.

"Give Farmer a Rest."

At the State House it was pointed out that [illegible] employ dairy inspectors of their own. The State Board of Health has also heard of a young man who is traveling about the State representing [illegible] State board inspector.

It was strongly [illegible] yesterday that the present State [illegible] milk is a contest between the State Board of Health and the Dairy Bureau. The Dairy Bureau is an offshoot of the State Board of Agriculture. J. Lewis Ellsworth is the big man of each.

Both sides [illegible] machinists say have got to bear in mind for the present that Governor Draper failed to get a majority of all the votes cast for Governor last November [illegible] marked down [illegible] the theorists to let the farmer have a breathing spell [illegible] farmers [illegible] to alarm the big communities of this State.

The present fuss of the Legislature with the gentlemen who take the milk of generous cows about 5 p. m. and hustle it over country road to railroad stations to be picked up when the milk train comes along, was started by the Woman's Municipal League of Boston.

Women Join Fight.

The Woman's Municipal League isn't agitated a little bit over Votes for Women, but [illegible] in five [illegible]

[illegible]

WHIST AND REUNION FOR NEWTON PARIS

Committees Planning Man Features for Annual Gathering Thursday Night.

The annual reunion and whist party of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Newton Centre, will take place next Thursday evening in Bray Hall. The members of the parish are working earnestly in support of the efforts of the pastor, the Rev. Daniel C. Riordan, and his assistant, the Rev. James F. Haney, to make the reunion the most successful social gathering the Sacred Heart parish has yet held.

The lemonade and novelty table will be directed by Miss Margaret Clark, Miss [illegible] Miss [illegible] representing the daughters of the Pilgrim Fathers; Miss [illegible] Dennson, Miss Grace [illegible] Miss [illegible] Kinnaire, Miss Mary [illegible] representing the daughters of the [illegible] Miss [illegible] Murphy, Miss Mary [illegible] representing the daughters of [illegible] Miss Margaret O'[illegible] Miss [illegible] O'Kane, Miss Margaret [illegible] Miss Mary McCue, representing [illegible] of the real Americans of to-day; Miss Mary Kinnane, Miss Mar[illegible] and Miss Priscilla [illegible]

[illegible] of the features [illegible]

Whist—[illegible] Levi, Miss Nora [illegible] Miss Mary Hart, Mrs. Nora [illegible] Miss Lottie [illegible] Miss Elizabeth [illegible] McDowell, Miss [illegible] Miss Mary J. [illegible] Miss Mary McGrady, Miss Mary Cassidy, Miss Katherine Mc[illegible] Miss [illegible] McDonald, Miss Mary [illegible] Miss Jennie Tierney, Mrs. Mar[illegible]

[illegible] John Barry, marshal; Dennis [illegible] Robert Vachon, assistant floor director; aids, Lawrence A. [illegible] Francis Hughes, Frank Hurley, John Kincaid, T. [illegible] Edward McAdams, William Mullin, James McInerney, Samuel Simpkins, William Warner, [illegible] Robert Hurley, Jacob King, Thomas King, Frank Kueland, William Mc[illegible], Justin O'Kane, William Turner, James A. Waters.

[illegible] Miss Margaret Waters, Julia King, [illegible] McGrath, Catherine Daly, Margaret [illegible] Elizabeth Waters, Mary O'Kane, Ethel Tierney, Mildred Levi, Nellie [illegible]

Flowers—Mrs. William Warner, Miss Turner, Miss Mary White, Miss Mary Cassidy.

"NARROW GAUGE" DANCE.

Railroad Men Planning for Record Social Success.

The several hundred employes of the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad are working hard to make their twentieth annual ball next Thursday night in Odd Fellows Hall, Lynn, the most successful they have undertaken. Conductor William E. [illegible] of Lynn is in charge of the arrangements.

Bernard J. McLaughlin of Winthrop is president of the Mutual Benefit Association, under whose auspices the reunion is held. On the musical program [illegible] of East Boston, who will sing; Miss Gladys Clark of Lynn, dancer, and Morgan Brothers of Lynn, in vaudeville.

Conductor William Payne of Lynn will be floor director. Charles Drake is secretary of the ball committee, and Charles F. Fol[illegible] is one of the prominent members on the committee.

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One Hundred School Girls to Aid Crittenden Home.

LYNN, Jan. 29—One hundred High and [illegible] school girls are to sell valentines [illegible] of this city on Saturday, [illegible] for the benefit of the Florence Crittenton Home, No. [illegible] Essex street, Swampscott. [illegible] Lynn and Swampscott [illegible] There [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] of the Board of Directors [illegible] in general charge of the valentine sale.

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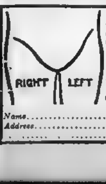

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EXPERTS CLASH ON MERITS OF THE BIG FIGHTERS

DONOVAN PICKS OUT TWO TEAMS FROM THE RED SOX AGGREGATION

Batting Order of First Team Puts Lord Third and Speaker Fourth—More Doves Sign Contracts.

By A. H. C. MITCHELL.

Manager Patsy Donovan [illegible] Red Sox [illegible] in hand yesterday [illegible] picked out [illegible] second team [illegible] selections [illegible] teams as he has selected them [illegible] comes time for practice [illegible] the Regulars and Yannigans [illegible]

Here are the two teams as Donovan laid them out:

FIRST TEAM — SECOND TEAM [illegible]

Hooper [illegible]

The pitchers are divided with [illegible] Arellanes, Smith, Steele, Pape and Ehmann on the first [illegible] Wood, Karger, Leroy, Barnerich, Thompson and Anderson on the second team. Madden is put down as utility catcher and Donovan himself as utility outfielder.

New Batting Order.

[illegible] made up of the players [illegible] be noticed that Captain Harry [illegible] moved down into third place. Harry has been [illegible] ever since he joined the Red Sox, but Donovan evidently believes [illegible] if [illegible]

[illegible]

Donovan [illegible] Lord [illegible] Patsy [illegible] as fast as [illegible] will give a line of [illegible] hitters to follow [illegible]

Speaker in Fourth Place.

[illegible]

Stahl and Carrigan coming next with Hooper just ahead of the pitcher.

How pleasant to dope these things out [illegible]

[illegible] the Red Sox won't play [illegible] April 12 [illegible]

[illegible] teams will [illegible]

[illegible] as soon as he reaches Boston in a few days.

Graham and Moran Sign.

The signed contracts of Catcher George Graham from Minneapolis and of J. Herbert Moran from Coudersport, Pa., arrived at the National League headquarters yesterday [illegible] he is prepared to [illegible]

[illegible] last summer, making the fans go wild with his wonderful work. He is working in a clothing store at Minneapolis, where [illegible] his home every winter. Graham [illegible] pretty good [illegible]

Moran is the best [illegible] He did fine work in the last [illegible] on the road last Fall and President [illegible] thinks he will hold his own [illegible]

[illegible]

BAN IS PUT ON PROMINENT ATHLETE

Joe McNamara, Athletic Director, Barred from Acting as Official or Manager.

Joe [illegible] McNamara, the well known [illegible] has now [illegible] by the [illegible] director of the [illegible] Gymnasium [illegible] has been debarred [illegible] by the N. E. Athletic [illegible] brought against him by the official [illegible] Frank McGrath [illegible]

[illegible] McNamara [illegible] to manage or officiate [illegible] by the N. E. A. A. [illegible] charges against McNamara [illegible] Messrs. [illegible] and A. McGoragles, and they reported [illegible] recommendation at the meeting of the board of managers of the N. E. A. A. U. last week and the testimony heard with the result that decisive measures were taken and McNamara denied the privilege of participating or managing any [illegible] under the sanction of the official amateur athletic body.

The result of the action by the governing [illegible] athletics in New England [illegible] in this vicinity [illegible] hundreds of athletes have [illegible]

For many years he was director of the North End Park open air gymnasium and was then transferred to South Boston where he has been active in developing all [illegible] of sport in that vicinity.

[illegible] charges brought against McNamara were made by [illegible] McGrath and Edward Hopkins, president of the South Boston A. C. and a member of the Board of Governors of the N. E. A. A. U. Hopkins prefers charges [illegible] of [illegible] in different matches.

COFFROTH IN RACE ACROSS THE WORLD

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 29.—Sporting Editor Boston American: Sailed for home Mauretania [illegible] Wagered Eugene Corri thousand [illegible] will arrive in San Francisco February 8. COFFROTH.

Referring [illegible], the above cablegram seems to show that James Coffroth, San Francisco fight promoter, will win $1,000 of the money of the National Sporting Club's referee within the next ten days. With ordinary luck, Coffroth will reach San Francisco at 7.25 o'clock on the evening of February 8. As the wager [illegible] gives him [illegible] four and one half [illegible]

Eugene Corri, who [illegible] and the official referee [illegible] he evidently [illegible]

Dartmouth Beats Wesleyan.

HANOVER, N. H., Jan. 29.—The fast playing of Captain Brady, ex-Captain Dingle and Jack Mullen of Dartmouth featured the Dartmouth-Wesleyan basket ball game, which resulted in a victory for the former team. The summary:

DARTMOUTH.		WESLEYAN.
Brady, lf	rb	Hayward
Mullen, rf	lb	Pettigrew [illegible]
Dingle, c	c	[illegible]
Bones, Mensel, lb	rf	P. Hayward
Hoban, Gibson, rb	lf	Davidson

Goals—Brady (5), Mullen (5), Dingle (3), Mensel, Hoban, Gibson, P. Hayward [illegible] J. Hayward [illegible] Hayward (7), Brady (3). Referee—Hyatt, Yale. Scorer—Barnhart. Timer—Ingersoll. Time—Two 20-minute halves.

Basketball Results.

At Everett: Everett Y. M. C. A. 25; Everett A. A. 24; Marshall Club 52; Co. B 8.

FLYNN WINS BY KNOCKOUT IN 7TH ROUND

Local Boxer Puts Calloway to Sleep After Hot Session at American A. C. Bouts.

"Porky" Flynn [illegible] John Calloway [illegible] to dreamland [illegible] at the American A. C. last night.

The bout was scheduled to go twelve rounds but it didn't take the fans long to [illegible]

[illegible]

A few seconds before the close of the seventh round Porky slipped over a good stiff right and left to stomach and that sent Calloway to the mat for the required time.

Calloway wasn't counted out for Referee Hodgkins had only gotten half way through the count when the bell sounded. However, Calloway's seconds sent a towel [illegible] after the bell [illegible] would not have been [illegible] call for the eighth session.

Porky After Body.

Flynn didn't make many plays for the colored fighter's jaw but started in to take the fight out of him by a severe body beating and when the fifth round [illegible] Calloway [illegible] blows that the Boston heavyweight applied to his kidneys and stomach.

Especially in the fifth session did Flynn go after the colored man's kidneys. He [illegible]

[illegible] looked to be in good condition [illegible] he received at Jim Barry's [illegible] at the Armory A. A.

Calloway had all his fast footwork and [illegible] good punch [illegible] when he first appeared in this city, but he just wasn't there. He didn't seem to have the class that he showed when he fought Flynn for the first time last October.

He danced around Porky and for speed made the big Boston lad look mighty slow [illegible] with the slap bang sort of style that has got him the reputation of being a dangerous man at all times.

Calloway Lost Temper.

In the sixth period after Flynn [illegible] a couple of hard blows to the kidneys which were already [illegible] sore as boils, Calloway lost his temper and went after Flynn, using some heated phrases as well as blows. Porky took things easy and covered up in his own style and let the wallops land on his arms.

Flynn showed that he could learn tricks [illegible] colored boxer [illegible] left hand [illegible] Sullivan [illegible]

[illegible] the second show [illegible] They were strong [illegible] when he put Calloway [illegible]

Three Good Prelims.

In the opening bout two little fellows—"Kid" Victor, the colored bantam of the West End and "Billy" Thistle of Chelsea [illegible] six round encounter. After the first round both boys were mighty tired, but the colored boy with a left jab, easily beat Thistle. Thistle looked like a Percy Love Junior, as he was very shy on flesh but long on bones.

The scrap for the newsboy championship between "Kid" Wright and "[illegible]" Francis, which was the second preliminary, was a good draw. Wright came strong in the last round, but Francis' lead was too great to overcome.

Referee Jerome Moore stopped the bout between Max Lundy of the South End and "Young" Roach of the North End in the fourth round after Lundy had clearly outfought the North Ender.

Corbett Says Johnson Will Lose Because He Fights "Flat-Footed"

By JAMES J. CORBETT.

I HAVE stated many times that Jack Johnson is a flat-footed fighter. Many followers of the ring have asked and written me as to exactly what I mean by a flat footed man, and if it be a disadvantage where does it come in. Well, in hundreds of battles it makes no difference whether [illegible] fights "on his toes" or on the [illegible] of his feet." In an affair between two [illegible] every slight [illegible] being flat footed will help Johnson's defeat.

Now I am going to try and explain as [illegible] I can what a disadvantage a flat footed man is under. It is plain to all that a flat-footed man certainly cannot move as fast as a man on his toes. While [illegible] get under cover before the other fellow can get up enough speed to follow. None will deny that speed is a necessary asset in the prize ring.

The slow fellow may win a battle now and then, but not often. Go back over the records of the prize ring and you will find "winner" behind their names.

Cites Cases in Evidence.

Take the ring exploits of such men as Bob Fitzsimmons, Tommy Ryan, Kid McCoy and, if I may add, myself. Every one of this aggregation was always primed for a rush, and in most cases sent over a wallop and got away before a return. Joe Gans was the only flat footed fighter in my years that I ever saw go down the line licking all comers. But we all must admit that this world will produce very few men possessing the cleverness and strength that the "Old Master" had in his day. Flat footed fighters have seldom been enrolled under the title of champions.

Many critics may ask: "If a flat-footed fighter is not successful why is it Johnson holds the championship?" That looks good dope. But did Jack ever meet a man anyway near Jeffries in class, or a man who was built by nature for a champion [illegible]

[illegible] only a flat footed fighter [illegible] his opponent to come in and mix it. The dope will show you that it was trying to swap punches that beat Tommy Burns and Stanley Ketchel. I don't want any body to think for a moment that I [illegible] Jack Johnson is no fighter. On the contrary, I think he is a marvel, particularly on the defensive, and entitled to his honors.

But I am going to try and show why, in my estimation, Johnson's flat footedness [illegible] man [illegible] with Jeff [illegible] should [illegible] speed [illegible] the fight to Jeff, hit and get away. That's what I did with Jeff at Coney Island, and I had him tired from his own exertions, lunging after me. I fought all the way on my toes. I did most of the leading in that battle and my speed kept me out of harm's way until the twenty-third round. Johnson does little or no leading. He relies on the other man coming to him. Then he [illegible] and put his opponent at a disadvantage [illegible] his movements are slow. Do you think for a moment that he will be able to block that triphammer blow of Jeff's all the time? Certainly not. Johnson's style is made to order for the big fellow. Jeff will bore in [illegible] Johnson will peck away with his jabs, [illegible] of those swings of Jeff's out of the air with his gloves and forearms.

This battle will be the case of the man with the stronger punch. And take it from me, there is no man in this world able to face Jeffries in the ring and swap punches without getting a ticket to dreamland in return. Johnson has a good right hand, but his white rival possesses a pair of hands, and he has the kick of a mule in both.

Jeff Already at Weight.

Now a few words to the skeptics who are worrying over Jeff getting into condition. It was only a few days ago that Jeffries submitted to an exhaustive physical examination in Chicago and was pronounced to be in magnificent shape. That [illegible] I met Jeff a few days [illegible] he already tips the scales between 230 and 235 pounds, which is his regular fighting weight. It looks now as though the big fellow would have to [illegible] for a time [illegible] training. With his health good, his strength never better, his eyes as clear as when [illegible] at his best, the man to beat Jim Jeffries is still unheard of. And I say this notwithstanding the fact that I consider Jack Johnson [illegible]

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Billy Madden Says Many Great Fighters Were "Flat-Footed" in Ring

By BILLY MADDEN.

The old-time boxer who taught John L. Sullivan and developed many other stars of the ring

I NOTICED a story by James J. Corbett in last Sunday's American in which he said that flat footed fighters were at a disadvantage. He gave that as a reason why Jeffries would surely defeat Jack Johnson. I disagree with him, and I'll tell you why.

Try, yourself, leading at another boxer with your left hand while on your toes and you will find your head goes forward with the blow, leaving an opening for the other fellow to counter with his right. That is a cross-counter. It is what a boxer means by "beating his man to the punch."

Now try the same lead with the heel firmly planted on the floor, left foot and left arm being in a direct line with your opponent's body. The head is back out of the way whether you land or miss.

Jem Mace used to beat all his men that way, and he was a wonderfully clever fighter. Young Griffo is considered by many to be one of the fastest and cleverest boxers who ever donned a glove. He hit when flat footed. I saw him fight twenty rounds to a draw with Kid Lavigne when the Kid was good and he was in poor shape. Griffo scarcely moved out of a six-foot circle during the battle until the close, when he began to tire.

I can name any number of great fighters who used the flat footed style. Tom Allen, champion of America, in the old bare-knuckle days, was one. Mike McCool, Joe Coburn, Charley Gallagher, Ned O'Baldwin and Joe Wormald, were others of his day who used the same style. Allen seconded me in 1871 at Bay St. Louis when I beat Tom Hart of Cleveland, and I won only because I followed orders and fought flat-footed. In the same ring Jem Mace fought Joe Coburn.

Mace Was Head of School.

It was Mace, by the way, who taught Australian Larry Foley how to box. Bob Fitzsimmons, Peter Jackson, Young Griffo and other clever men from the Antipodes were from the Foley school. They called men who fought "on their toes" jumping jacks in those days. I still believe the term fits them.

The science of the ring consists in doing as little work as possible, especially in long fights. Finish fights are the only true test. Here good judgment is required in saving your hands and legs, as well as your strength. Look back over the records and you will find that the men who were always running away have been classed as "timid" fighters. And timid is only a nice word for fear. Tommy Ryan used to dance away in his earlier bouts, but once he gained confidence he let the other fellow do the fancy footwork.

If I were to second Jack Johnson against Jeff I would whisper to him that the big fellow is left-handed. A left-hander is easier to beat than a right-handed man. Jeff's right is only of service when the other chap bores into range on his toes. I believe Johnson will draw Jeff out and "beat him to it." He can move about rapidly enough to get out of harm's way, and the punch he carries in his right hand is powerful enough to do all the damage necessary, once Jeff starts to lead with his left.

Little Rap for Sullivan.

I see that John L. Sullivan is writing a book about himself, but he never mentions me. I think he ought to give me at least a passing word.

Sullivan mentions that when he came to New York from Boston he had $1,300 tucked away in his jeans. I brought John L. here, and the bankroll consisted of $130. John had $30, which he borrowed from Dave Blanchard. That of course doesn't cut much figure. But Sullivan goes on to say that on his trip from the City of Culture he thought of a good scheme to make money. This was to issue a challenge to the world and offer $50 to any man who would stay four rounds with him.

Now, I don't blame John for whatever he puts in his book, but this chapter he should change. Billy Madden was the man who originated the idea of Sullivan knocking out all comers. When I told Sullivan the plan he wanted me to make it six rounds instead of four.

I was the man who spoiled the job that was to be pulled off on Sullivan in the Flood fight. I insisted that Joe Elliott should be stakeholder and that Al Smith should referee. This insured us a fair deal. John is doing a little joshing when he says he never took a boxing lesson in his career. What does he think teaching a man new blows and sparring with him daily means? If this doesn't come under

COLLINS GETS ONE.

Red Sox Sell Outfielder Perry to Providence Club's Manager.

Our old friend Jimmy Collins, formerly manager of the Boston [illegible] now manager of the Providence [illegible] League, called on [illegible] Red Sox headquarters [illegible] accompanied by President [illegible] of the Providence club.

Collins wanted [illegible] van told him he was pretty nearly cleaned out of extra players. However, the Red Sox manager dug up Harry Perry, an outfielder the Red Sox secured last [illegible] from the York club of the Tri State League, and turned him over to Collins.

Clarke Shades McDonough.

PORTLAND, Me., Jan. 29.—Mickey McDonough, of Manchester, N. H., and Billy Clarke, of Lawrence, fought a speedy six round bout at the Pastime [illegible] Club here this evening and the Lawrence fighter had a shade the better of McDonough all the way through. Jim Rippin, of Fort Preble, who was fighting even with Max Cote, of Biddeford, had to leave the ring in the fourth when his seconds threw ammonia in his eyes by mistake.

MIDDIES BEAT YALE.

Gymnastic Meet Goes to Annapolis, 31 to 4.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., Jan. 29.—The midshipmen added greatly to their laurels in [illegible] defeating Yale decisively in a [illegible] contest here this afternoon [illegible] 31 to 4. There were five events, [illegible] of these horizontal bars, side [illegible] tumbling [illegible] Yale tied with Byrd, Navy, for first place.

On the bars and side horse, the midshipmen took first honors by the better form in [illegible] carried off their work. [illegible] of Yale attempted decidedly more difficult feats on the parallel bars and side horse, but did not arrive at the top of his form and did not carry them all through smoothly. In tumbling the superiority of the local gymnasts was very marked, Kieffer showing some head springs and combinations of springs, flips and turns, which were extraordinary.

Brockton Y. M. C. A. Wins.

The Brockton Y. M. C. A. basketball team won out in an overtime game against Boston Y. M. C. A. last night. The game was fast all the way and the winning goal was thrown by Lawson.

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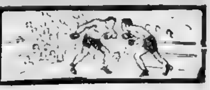

RING EXPERTS CLASH OVER BIG FIGHTERS

the head of boxing lessons I miss my right cross. I got it myself, many's the ...

... easiest thing in the world to fall into a to bus.

Frank Gotch Says Jeff Can Get Down to Weight

By FRANK GOTCH.

CAN Jeffries get down to weight? How weigh when he fights, but I am basing ...

... ped and aggressiveness.

I do not know just how much Jeff will down at the real work of preparation ...

Van Loan Says Jeffries Makes $5,000 Per Week

By C. E. VAN LOAN.

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... James J. of being devoted to his art for art sake. When money talks, Mr. Jeffries ... floral wreaths for Jeff's ... hear from the coroner's jury.

WHERE THE GREAT FIGHT LIKELY WILL BE HELD

INTERIOR OF COLISEUM AT SALTAIR BEACH

RICKARD. BERGER. JEFFRIES. JOHNSON. LITTLE. GLEASON.

ALL STARS WIN GAME OVER HANOVER FIVE

Up-hill Contest Goes to Local Team After Hard Fight in Final Round.

MAY STOP SALEM BOUTS.

City Marshal Will Interfere if Shows Are Illegal

SALEM, Jan. 29.—Winter boxing in ...

Reading 27; Portland 15.

Thayer 2nd Wins.

SALTAIR ARENA NOW BEING REMODELLED FOR BIG FIGHT

Believed That the Objection of Utah Governor Will Be Withdrawn.

DESPITE many reports to the contrary, it looks like a certainty that the big Johnson-Jeffries forty-five round battle for the heavyweight championship of the world will be held at the Saltair Pavilion, about forty minutes' ride from the ... Salt Lake City, Utah.

Brown Trims Yale

Pawtucket, 5; Brockton, 3.

BROCKTON, Jan. 29.—Pawtucket defeated Brockton at polo here to-night, 5 to 3.

"BE A HERO 10 DAYS AND THEN RETIRE"

Harry F. Porter Writes of the New Rules for Amateur Athletes.

By HARRY F. PORTER

Champion Amateur Running High Jumper of the World

St. John's Wins Again

Wellesley Girls Win

... Referee, Miss Carr. Time—two 15 minute halves.

RESTRICTIONS ON HARVARD ATHLETES

Crimson Students to Be Confined to One Branch of Strenuous Sports.

CAMBRIDGE WINS.

Gymnasium Team Defeats Lowell Five Easily.

No More Girls' Games.

Lynn Y. M. C. A. Wins

Leominster Wins, 27 to 17

Start Play in State Racquets.

Battery H., 19 to 14.

Battery H of Chelsea defeated ...

Textile 35; Woonsocket, 15.

FALL RIVER, Jan. 29.—The Textile ... Woonsocket, 35 to 15.

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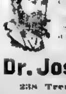

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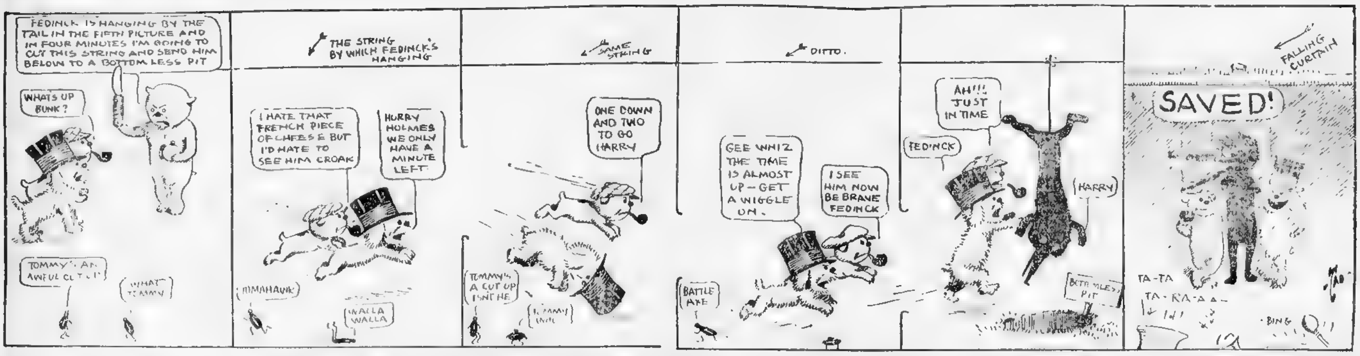

BIG TWO-MEN'S BOWLING MATCH FALLS THROUGH

Poehler and Martel Fail to Post $500 With Stakeholder to Roll Galway and Christopher.

By ED. COGSWELL.

[illegible]

Dr. Brit. Makes Record.

[illegible]

Taylor Wins Rolloff.

[illegible]

Medford Elks Want to Bowl.

[illegible]

Fun For Furniture Bowlers

[illegible]

Football Pays Best

[illegible]

WOLGAST BUILDS UP TO MEET NELSON

By H. M. Walker.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29.— [illegible]

... Nelson prepared to put ... of his young life ... Nelson ... He expects Ad to weigh ... pounds at the ringside when he makes the supreme effort to do what no man has ever yet been able to do—stretch the wonderful Dane out on the resin-covered canvas for the count of ten.

The Wolgast party will be back from Wheeler's Springs in a few days. ...

What Wolgast himself thinks of his chances against Nelson was shown when ... "Your judgment is better than mine, Tom," he told his manager. "You take my money and bet it as you think best. Get the best odds possible, but keep going as long as our coin lasts."

STRAIGHT DOPE FOR SPORT FANS

PRETTY SOON I'LL LEARN TO QUIT monkeying with foreign languages when I don't know anything about them. ... dope strictly on past performances I reach the conclusion that while the late O'Brien ...

[illegible]

THEY TELL ME THE GOOD ONES never come back but did you read about Carrie Nation's return to form? ...

[illegible]

HERE IS MORE TESTIMONY THAT the Lakeside A. C. of Webster is as right as right can be. What Harry Gilla said the other day appeared to settle matters, but here is more of it.

[illegible]

ALTHOUGH A LITTLE OUT OF THE ... If it doesn't wear a label, has discovered a new one ... vent Johnson from scoring a clean knock ... ered sponge into the ring when it becomes evident that the white man cannot win ... his own for saving himself this ignominy ...

[illegible]

BOSTON BOXERS ARE LIKELY ...

[illegible]

HENRY PARKER, PLYMPTON CLUB ...

[illegible]

... there is no choice, the best man ...

This may get me in bad but I'm going to print it anyway just to see if Eddie Murphy really did write it.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
... Joe McCarthy. Thanking ... EDDIE MURPHY.
South Boston.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Dear Sir: Will you please tell me the nationality of Al Kaufman. I also wish to call your attention to part of Harry Marks' program in which he mentions the name of Ian Hague. The other night you said this man's name was "Iron," not Ian. L. J. F.

Kaufman is American born, and I believe he is of German descent. I still say Hague's name is not "Ian." His name is William Hague and his nickname over in his own country is "Iron."

AND NOW COMES MONTANA JACK Sullivan and deposes that he is anxious to get into the Al Kaufman class by putting the kibosh to the late Philadelphia Jack O'Brien. Sullivan is peeved because the Pittsburg police refused to let Langford knock his bean off, and he wants to prove "they are wrong in their estimate of his abilities as a fighter." Figuring the

The Providence Journal and ... Tribune are the two leading papers.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Dear Sir: ... please let me know ... in 1908 ... I am, yours ... L. D. H.

You're scarcely explicit enough in your question. Alen Moore made ... in ... John Lowry made two ... in 1904, and Alen Moore made five ... in ...

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Dear Sir: Would you please state in your column the Jeffries and Sharkey fight at Coney Island. A bets it was a draw. B bets Jeffries got the decision. Respectfully yours, J. B. KENT.
Providence, R. I.

Jeffries got the decision over Sharkey in twenty-five rounds at Coney Island on November 3, 1899.

Straight Dope, Boston American:
Dear Sir: Here is some straight dope that ... worth money to some of your readers ...
I had the pleasure of being a spectator at the bouts pulled off by the Woonsocket A. A. last Monday evening. The way in which Young O'Neil trimmed Tommy Furey of Attle... surprised every one in the house, and I guess Furey was most surprised of all. It took him about five minutes to realize the fact before he would leave the ring. Those wallops he received on the jaw certainly had the steam behind them, and Tommy is still wondering how it happened. Keep your eye on this young O'Neil, he certainly is a comer. A FAN.

Jeffries a Lord: Can You Beat It?

One sometimes has to go away from home to learn the news. A London newspaper which has just reached this side throws some light on the ancestry of Jim Jeffries. It says:

"Jeffries, former heavyweight ... descendant of Lord Jeffreys ... Jeffreys had seven sons, six of ... prominent ... they escaped to Virginia, ... traces his descent in a direct line ... one of them.

"Judge Jeffreys conducted the ... court held after the Battle of Sedgemoor ... 1685, when 320 executions were ordered and carried out. He died in the Tower of London."

FOOTBALL MISDEMEANOR

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 29.— ... that the game of football ... the State of Virginia ... R. S. Parks has ... the Legislature prohibiting the game and making it a misdemeanor ... game the first offense punishable by a fine of $100 and a second ... thirty days in jail. Senator Early of Greene County will push the bill in the Senate.

The peculiar part of all this is that both men were prominent football players in their day. ...

HE HAD THE WRONG JIM

[illegible]

... "Good luck to you, Jim. I hope you knock Corbett's block off."

"He got his wish, all right ..."

RUBE SORRY FOR BUGS

One day early last season Hughey ... Jennings and Germany ... the trainer ... care of himself.

IMPEDIMENT IN HIS WALK

Rube Oldring of the ... a hard worker. There appeared to be something wrong with one of his legs," said Rube ... story. "I guess you would call it an impediment in his walk."

Barry Goes West for Fights.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Jim Barry, the heavyweight, has departed for ... under the wing of a new manager ... Barry ... Pittsburg ... he would get enough money for ... he went West. He may meet Sam Langford in the West.

UNDER THE OLD DERBY

By C. E. VAN LOAN.

THE Big Fellow's barnstorming tour is drawing to a close. After he carries the bankroll to the safety deposit vault in Los Angeles, looks in on Partner Kipper to see how the fried liver free lunches are prospering, allows a few bucks to buy wine and put him on the place where the stomach used to be Jim will like ...

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... It would be a queer ... $1000 ... and Jeff hates money ...

AND ... the Governor ...

[illegible]

... may be ... to Governor Spry.

It is a grand little tangle and ... In the interests of humanity, gents, lay your cards on the table, face up. Then we shall know whether the Governor really had 'em before the draw, and it will also be interesting to know what Gleason holds. There has been enough talk ...

WILLIAM HENRY PICKENS, who has been ... a queer ... lent Southerner ... a poor relation ...

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Boats to Race 'Through Niagara.'

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Ten entries have ... for which John A. Penson has offered a $500 gold cup and Power Boating $1,000 ... Cleveland ... Claus P. Larsen, Cleveland ...

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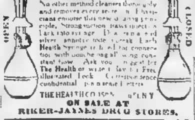
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List of Sanctions.

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Two for New England.

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Start at Cincinnati.

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Contest Board Award Dates.

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Hill-Climbing Contest.

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GEORGE BRADLEY DEAD.

Sudden Attack of Pneumonia Was the Cause.

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A PIONEER DEALER

ALVAN T. FULLER.

A. T. FULLER'S RISE IN MOTOR WORLD

[illegible]

Captain of Industry

[illegible]

Imported Motor Vehicle

[illegible]

MATSON TELLS OF DRIVING IN RACES

[illegible] Matson, winner of the Indiana and [illegible]

[illegible]

Kissel Car Exhibit

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Zombro Comes East

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RAINIER RACING CAMPAIGN IN 1910

The first of the motor manufacturing [illegible]

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Yale Nine to Take Easter Trip.

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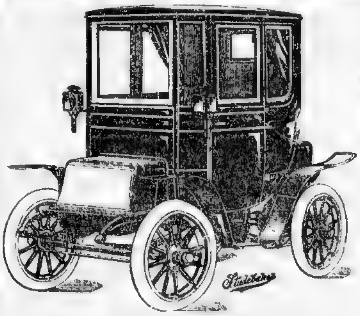

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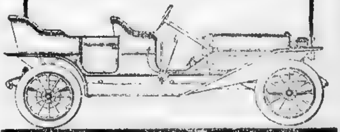

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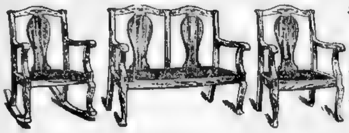
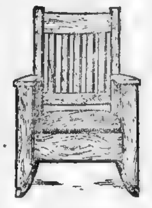
With a practically complete assortment of last week's phenomenal Bargains, augmented by New Arrivals—Carloads of Fine Furniture delayed in transit—

Prices 1/3 to 1/2 Below Regular

Free Delivery of $5.00 purchases or more, all over N. E. Purchases stored free for future delivery if desired. Mail orders carefully filled.



$50 Parlor Suite for $35
35.00



Another Extraordinary One-Day Special
For Monday, Jan. 31st.
This Big Easy
$9.50 Mission Arm Chair or Rocker
$3.95
Exactly like illustration

A great big substantial easy chair or rocker, 27 inches broad, back extending 28 inches above seat, seat 23 inches long and 1½ inches wide, made all of oak, with slip seats. Only a limited number for Monday at **3.95**

Another Startling Bargain in Dining Chairs!

$2.50 Quartered Oak Cane Seat Chairs, **1.50**
500 of these Extra Large and Extra Well Made Box Seat Chairs, **1.50**
With Genuine Leather Seats, **1.95**

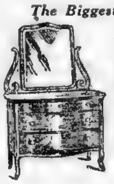
$15 Brass Bed
10.00

10.00

12.00 Dressers 9.00

All oak, like cut, two top toilet drawers, deep lower drawer, large oval plate glass mirror. Regular $12.00 value. Sale price, **9.00**

The Biggest Bargain
That Was Shown in the Grand Rapids Furniture Market!

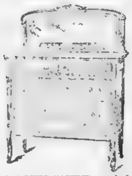


18.00

Mission Writing Desk

like cut, all oak, drawer, paper racks and book shelf, worth 7.00. Sale **4.95**

20.00 Buffet
14.85



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At as low or lower prices than others ask for imitation mahogany sets.

This Mahogany Parlor Set Worth 42.50 at 25.00

Just think—solid mahogany—3 large pieces exactly like illustration, actual value $42.50. February Sale, **25.00**

Other Solid Mahogany Sets			
$50.00 sets, 3 pieces, at	$35.00	$65.00 sets, 3 pieces, at	$45.00
$60.00 sets, 3 pieces, at	$40.00	$75.00 sets, 3 pieces, at	$53.00
		$80.00 sets, 3 pieces, at	$55.00

Drop Side Steel Couch
All heavy steel frame, national wire springs . . . Reg price $6.50. Monday, complete . . . **4.95**

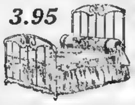
16.00 Sideboard 9.95

Exactly like cut. Deep linen drawer. Velvet lined silver drawers, double cabinets, fitted with cast brass trimmings . . . polished and made of solid oak . . . 42 inches long . . . inches deep, with large plate mirror. Special for this sale. **9.95**

Another Great Table Bargain

Fine Oak Dining Table—like cut, with heavy pedestal center, claw feet; worth $12.00. February Sale, **9.95**

This Iron Bed
3.95



Heavy posts, brass . . . very pretty design, in all sizes. Monday, at **3.95**

$25 Sofa Beds 15.00

15.00

R. H. White Co.'s Bargain Basement

Greatest Sale of The American Printing Co.'s Wash Fabrics

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Ever Held in Boston!

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Don't Miss This Wonderful Sale Monday!

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Pretty Coats of Kersey, Cheviot, Beaver or Chinchilla, every one carefully made on stylish little models.

Some are plain tailored coats, some flannel-lined, some trimmed with velvet and braid on collar, cuffs and pockets; sizes 6 to 14 years.

Just think what a Bargain this is! A really beautiful Children's Coat for only $1.98. It would cost three or four times this price to get it made.

300 Silk Petticoats of Chiffon Taffeta
In handsome . . . colors to match . . . gown . . . deep, tucked flounce and a good dust sateen under ruffle.
5.00 Values at 2.98

Blue and Gray Chambray Petticoats
. . . trimmed with . . . pleated . . . and dust ruffle of the same material.
A 69c Value 49c

Great Value in White Waists
Tailored waists, pretty lingerie waists, embroidered lawn waists, in all sizes. Only 15 dozen of these—all samples.
Worth 69c 49c

Bobbinet Lace
For curtains and draperies, white and cream lace trimmed with Battenberg braid. Value 15c yard, at
5c

Fancy Belt Pins
Gold plated and oxidized designs set with large colored stones. Values up to 50c, at
12½c

1000 Dozen Women's Pure Linen Initial Handkerchiefs
Worth 12½c to 25c each
Monday at 5c

Men's All-Silk Neckwear
100 dozen Shield Bows in a wonderful array of attractive patterns. Value 15c each, at
5c

Table Oilcloth
45 inches wide. A great variety of patterns in good colorings. Slightly imperfect, but will cut to advantage. Value 25c yard, at
12½c

Children's Black Ribbed Hose
A sweeping clearance sale of heavy black hose, worth 15c pair.
9c

Boys' Fine Percale Shirts
Sizes 12 to 14. Light and dark patterns in various colors. This lot is a "manufacturer's throw-out" of 50c shirts.
29c

Men's Black Cotton Hose
Regular Price 10c Pair
At **7c**

Another Waist Bargain
A fine lot of 120 sample white waists in lingerie or plain tailored styles, also embroidered lawns.
98c Value at **69c**

Fine Jewelry and Shell Goods
Handsome Beauty Pins, Veil Pins, Brooches, Shirt Waist Sets, Stick Pins and Hat Pins. Shell Barrettes and Back Combs, in artistic designs.
Worth up to 50c Each; at **11c**

Women's Fancy Neckwear
Stocks, Turnovers, Jabots, Bows, etc. In white and colors, some slightly mussed. Values to 25c each, at **10c**

Fine Imported Neckwear
for women. All that is newest in stocks and jabots, including jabots of fine lawn with real Irish crochet lace trimming. Values up to 50c each, at **25c**

SECOND SECTION
Boston American
General News
SECOND SECTION
SUNDAY, JANUARY 30, 1910.

MINISTER FLEES IRE OF PATRIOTS OF ESSEX COUNTY

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RETREATS IN GOOD ORDER

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White Answers Alarm.

[illegible]

Defends Harvard University

[illegible] by [illegible] speaker that [illegible] its dut[illegible] Harvard didn't [illegible] when the ca[illegible] throu[illegible] for men to [illegible] their flag [illegible] Memorial Hall in the State House [illegible] find among the honored [illegible] men who got much of the[illegible] in their tr[illegible] at Harvard.

"Politics and politic[illegible] re[illegible] the last speaker, are not [illegible] We have men [illegible] State [illegible] hazarded their [illegible] tunes to [illegible] fights for [illegible] government. I want to [illegible] Grant that it was not [illegible] defeated Bryan. I think the Republican party had someth[illegible] to do with his defeat."

At this point Mr. [illegible] rose, shook hands with Toastmaster Peterson and left the hall. The gathering applauded him as he went out. Ex-Mayor Osgood of Salem then took the floor.

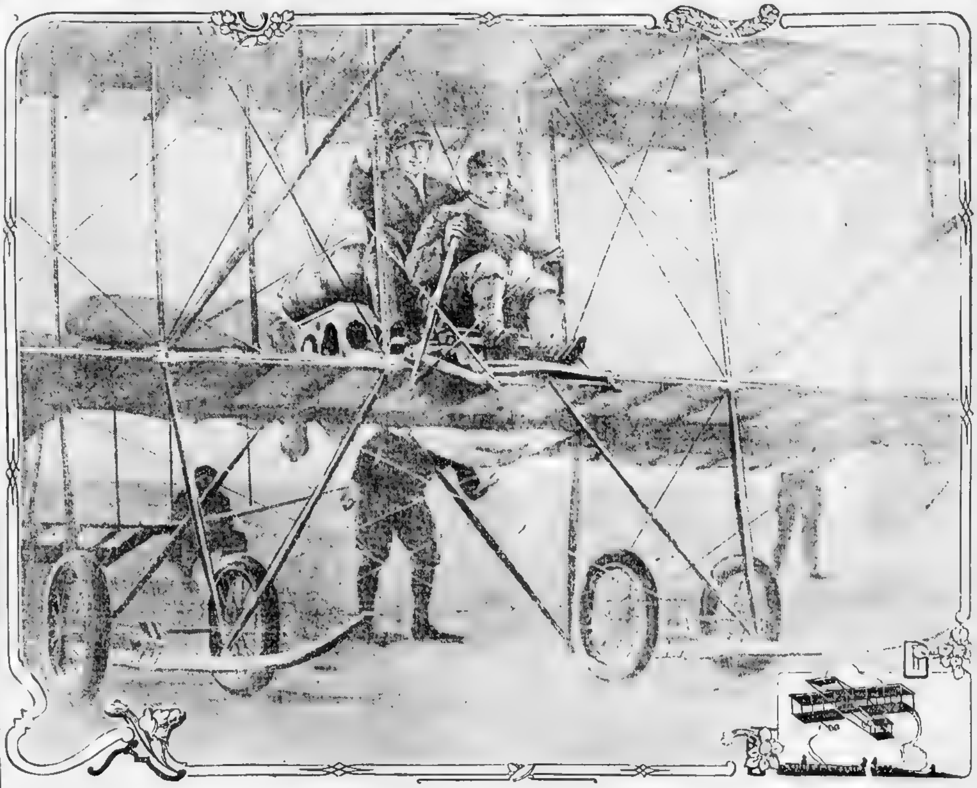
"I was a classmate at Harvard with the late George Frisbie Hoar," he said, "[illegible] it made my [illegible] gentlemen [illegible] institution. He [illegible] what he was talking about [illegible] spoke for [illegible] hour, pounding the table at intervals with his fist.

Brigadier-General [illegible], fresh from bolo land in the Philippines, followed him.

Soldier Defends Uniform.

"I could scarcely keep my seat," he thundered, "when I heard a previous speaker attack patriotism. I would remind you—and I wish I could tell him face to face—that the men who are most imbued with the spirit of patriotism, the men who wear the uniform, whether it be the soldiers' uniform, the sailors', the firemen's, the policemen's or any other uniform, whose wearers risk their lives for the public, are not filled with a desire to riot, but to suppress riot."

MR. HEARST'S OWN STORY OF HIS TRIP THROUGH CLOUDLAND WITH PAULHAN



LOS ANGELES, Jan. 29 —William Randolph Hearst, who took a trip with Paulhan in his airship at the aviation meet here, describes his experience in a most vivid manner. His story of the flight, which was one of the most successful of the entire aviation contests, follows:

BY WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST.

NO one could watch an aeroplane skimming swiftly and gracefully through the air without wanting to fly. No one could see M. Paulhan manage an aeroplane, easily and skilfully, without feeling complete confidence in that gentleman's ability to fly. I had sat watching the aeroplanes for two hours, on this beautiful afternoon, at the Los Angeles meet. I had seen them lift airily from the ground, scurry swiftly around the course, rise to great heights, depart on excursions into the surrounding country and finally return and alight dramatically in front of the grand stand.

I had seen one machine alight rather unexpectedly on its nose, as it were, but that was not the Paulhan machine. His always did exactly as it was told. Consequently, when M. Paulhan's manager presented M. Paulhan's kind invitation to take a small excursion with him in his airship, which was "waiting at the door," I accepted with much pleasure. When I approached the machine, I was impressed with its apparent frailness. M. Paulhan, who weighs 140 pounds, seemed to harmonize with the machine, but I, who weigh 200, did not.

"Shall I not be too heavy for your small craft?" I asked.

"Not at all," said M. Paulhan.

"Oh, very well, thought I, "you are going up, too, and if you can stand it, I can."

I got aboard and managed to fold myself into a little space back of M. Paulhan.

M. Paulhan handed me a heavy woolen cap in place of my hat. "You will need that," he said. "There is both cold and wind in the upper air." And M. Paulhan was right. I could not more succinctly describe the physical characteristics of the upper air.

For a few minutes M. Paulhan busied himself with preliminary adjustment of the machine; then he gave a signal. The big propeller behind us swished through the air; the engine gave musketry fire of successive reports, like a racing automobile with its throttle wide open. We started and skimmed along the ground at a constantly increasing speed. The men who were running alongside the machine let go, with a shout of good by, and we rose majestically into space.

We left the commonplace of this wornout world behind us, beneath us, and lifted into a new life, a new era.

The sensations of flying are difficult to describe, for the human mind operates through analogy and is convinced with comparisons, and there is nothing with which to compare the sensation of flying. I felt that great sense of exhilaration which all aviators describe, and, in addition, a deep serenity—a calm enjoyment of what seemed to be the perfect conditions of a new and better state.

The little people below, growing littler, too, every moment, seemed to belong to the past, to a period when man walked miserably upon the face of the earth or rolled uncomfortably in primitive automobiles over the rough surface.

We, M. Paulhan and I, were of the new era; we were soaring gloriously through space; we were flying. As a matter of fact, M. Paulhan was doing the flying and I was merely holding on, and quite tight, too; but I felt altogether as grand and supreme as he could possibly have felt.

Rising steadily, we were now several hundred feet above the earth and our former associates thereon. We had passed, too, out of the limits of the track enclosure and were now sailing far above the road to the city. Many automobiles were rolling through the dust of this road, for the day was nearly over and the people were beginning to go home. Some automobiles stopped and the people in them waved veils and handkerchiefs at us. We waved in return and then swept on past them, over the fields where the green grass lay in great square patches on the brown sod. Men were toiling in the fields, toiling below in the work-a-day world, while we were soaring in the sky. I felt that it was a shame that anybody should have to work when they could fly.

We swept on, higher and higher and farther and farther, and then we turned.

Now, turning is ticklish business. The aeroplane dips and swells a little and tips up on one side. I confess to leaning over strongly to that side, with the idea of helping the machine to maintain its equilibrium. I also lost some of my superior and exalted feelings and began to conclude that the surface of the earth might have advantages that I had momentarily forgotten. We got around the corner, however, and flew, in the face of the wind, to the west.

There was wind and there was cold in the upper air, as M. Paulhan had said, but, oh! there was a glorious view. The sun was just sinking in the Pacific and the clouds were red with its last rays. In the distance was San Pedro harbor, and between it and ourselves were some inlets of the sea that lay like mirrors and reflected the rose-red of the heavens among the greens and grays of the marshes. Then we turned again. I lost all poetic sentiments when we turned. It seems unreasonable that a flying machine should not go on and on without turning. We scudded fast before the wind now, and were soon back over the grand stand. I looked down and tried to make out the box in which my family were sitting, but I could see nothing but a sea of moving arms and upturned faces. We waved down at the crowd.

* * *

"Shall we go on?" asked M. Paulhan.

"Go as far as you like," said I. My sporting blood was up.

We made another wide tour of the country, had another glorious view of the snow-capped mountains in the east and of the silver sea in the west, and then turned toward the enclosure again.

I was cold; the cold wind was blowing in my eyes; the cold tears were running down my nose.

I said to myself: "If Paulhan asks me again what we shall do, I shall say, 'Go home.'"

But M. Paulhan did not ask me. He pulled a little cord in front, lowered the front wing of the aeroplane a trifle and we tipped down toward the earth. We came down very fast. It was like shooting the chutes for hundreds of yards, without a splash at the finish. For, as we neared the earth, M. Paulhan tipped up the forward plane again, and we settled as calmly and gently as a lighting bird.

WHO OWNS THE AIR? WIRELESS TALKERS MAKE TROUBLE

[illegible]

AMATEURS ARE BLAMED

[illegible]

[illegible] and that the Government [illegible] concerns should spend [illegible] wave lengths [illegible] to control the air [illegible]

Only One Remedy.

We [illegible] more powerful stations established the apparatus in use by amateurs would not interfere with them.

Ralph A. Wood maintains an elaborate and very up-to-date wireless apparatus in room No. 4 of Brentford Hall, Harvard, and he has been credited with interfering [illegible] several [illegible] with the transmission of Government [illegible] and with taking [illegible] interference. [illegible]

[illegible] right to conduct these experiments as any commercial wire[illegible] Government itself [illegible] so long as it is I expect to continue this interesting study.

Just because a few of the messages from the Charlestown Navy Yard and other Government stations have come my way it has been "unofficially" intimated to me that it might be wise to close up shop. I have failed to take the hint and will continue to operate and enjoy my plant until such time as it becomes illegal to do so.

Says Government Is At Fault.

I believe the Government is entirely at fault in its contention. Whatever present [illegible] of efficiency there is in the work has largely been perfected by amateurs, and [illegible] really the ones most interested, for [illegible] constantly testing new apparatus.

The Government, from our point of view, is very unfair in its present stand. As a matter of fact, nearly all the government wireless operators are amateurs or less efficient than many amateur operators. The Government, through a bill introduced by Congressman Roberts of this State, proposes to have the subject exhaustively investigated by a commission composed of men from the Government and commercial wireless service and one civilian, and when [illegible] report [illegible] received, to enact prohibitive [illegible]

Case of Interference.

[illegible] favoring the proposed national [illegible] give as an instance of danger[illegible] the case of the Bremen, [illegible] called Nantucket Lightship for information as to location and weather conditions along shore. The lightship was out of commission and the message was picked up by an unscrupulous amateur, who sent out wrong information in reply to both queries.

The captain of the Bremen might have believed himself far out of his reckonings, and by abandoning his set course [illegible] caused a wreck and serious loss of life. There was such a glaring discrepancy between the reply and his own observations that he stuck to the latter and brought the ship safe into port. There is also an instance of an attempt made to call a revenue cutter to the aid of a wrecked schooner. This message was interfered with for hours by the wireless operator on a passenger steamer.

Divorce Causes Tragedy.

CHICAGO, Jan. 29.—Mrs. W. S. Barnes and her mother, Mrs. Berbose, were shot and seriously wounded here this afternoon by Barnes in a quarrel following the filing of a divorce suit by the wife. Barnes escaped.

MARKET HEALTHIER FOR RECENT BREAK

Reason to Believe ... Many Coppers Have Seen Their Lowest for Pr...

By E. A. WILKINS

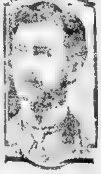
[illegible] ...lowest prices... Superior... stock... has been... property at... selling at... of different... Mining... that the New York... evidence of... There will be... to say that... of the Cole-Ryan... the past week... Guggenheim... Utah Copper Company... Boston Consolidated... the Guggenheims... Cole-Ryan... Arizona... Copper Company... shares... together of the... figure and... This is a... little is known... The Arizona... interests... of a... gas and... demand... one brokerage house that had a... investment... blocks of Boston & Albany, Fitchburg preferred, Edison Electric, Massachusetts Electric preferred, and American... On Friday one block of... New Haven... was taken over.

Copper... pretty... were... certain... open... sure of all... to 15. North Lake... while Arizona Commercial... feature. United Fruit made a record price and a... point advance during the forenoon. Indiana again had a sharp rise on the curb and is within two points of its record price.

BETTER SENTIMENT SHOWN IN MARKET

Tobacco Decision, Expected Tomorrow, Will Be the Hinge on Which Trading Will Turn.

By THOMAS C. SHOTWELL.



NEW YORK, Jan. 29.— [illegible] ... stock market... say ... the bank statement showed a moderate increase in ... the loan and deposit items.

While paying attention to the French losses, the ... should be remembered that the cotton planters had ... of only receiving 10,000,000 bales of cotton ... 14,000,000 bales had been cultivated and expected ... an actual money loss of at least $... ... 10,000,000 bales sold in the public market for ... but the damaging feature of ... cotton went to merchants and not to the working ... shared in the wages necessary to pick the 10,000,000 bales ... into clothing.

... of responsibility on Wall street ... The investor had no idea ... until they discovered that Wall street ... pretense of having ... were borrowed by banking interests and ... in November and December. The borrowing bankers deceived ... their personal holdings. The ... not in Taft or in the country, but in the Wall street ...

... leadership was rendered ... more suspicious by its action in ... an extra dividend of three-fourths of 1 per cent on Steel common ... J. P. Morgan ... said that the ... would be increased in October ... January.

... that President ... to prosecute the Steel Trust ... Anti-Trust ... suspicion that the truth ... The situation in this connection ... dangerous, for the Steel Trust shares are so widely ... of the stockholders become alarmed and lose confidence ... liquidation will ... Friends of the Steel Trust ... anxious to break the market feel that it is about time ... raiding the stock.

... have said that the ... of the Union Pacific ... was false, and have boldly proclaimed their readiness to prove the whole Union Pacific system a South Sea bubble ... examination of the books would show the slightest irregularity in accounts.

St. Paul directors declared a 7 per cent dividend on their stock, although earnings of the company do not justify such a payment. This dividend is classed with the Steel dividend as a life-saver for liquidating insiders.

Evidence was found toward the close of the week that chaos had not come in the financial world. J. P. Morgan made another announcement in the big copper merger in the shape of an increase in Anaconda's stock from $30,000,000 to $1[illegible],000,000. As exclusively told originally in this column, the new copper trust will not absorb companies, but will buy properties. The Anaconda stock is to be used to purchase ... properties owned by the Amalgamated ... some of its directors who have been thoughtful enough in the last few years to possess themselves of properties the Amalgamated said for investigating but strangely failed to purchase. It looks as though the copper merger would cover up the unpleasant secrets of the Amalgamated. The new stock finally to be issued to complete the copper merger will ... a good thing to let alone after the first boom.

Final action was taken in consolidating the Guaranty Trust Company ... the Morgan and the Fifth Avenue Trust. J. P. Morgan is now in possession of institutions controlling banking power of fully ten billion dollars. He is at the moment the strongest banker that ever lived.

New York Stocks

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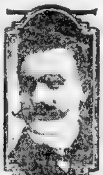
POOLS DISCREDIT THE MONEY MARKET

Real Reason Why Stock Exchange Suffered Its Recent Serious Break.

By BOERSIANER



CHICAGO, Jan. 29.— [illegible] ... President Taft ... constrained to ... which ... an apology. Indeed, ... and easily that he was put on the defensive ... position where he who excuses himself ...

The circumstantial testimony offered was ... provoking if far from convincing, the sort of ... and bruited evidence which is built on ... dence and plausible inference.

Finance starts with the postulate the President has not "made good" with the country ..., that he ... still is on the low rung of probation. To some people he is a ... to others an incipient molly-coddle, one who ... to satisfy everybody, ... everybody in the Republican party, but ... nobody.

Then—financial indictment proceeds ... several important things. The Pinchot-Ballinger controversy ... decided by the President seems not to have been liked by people ... basis of ... rather than to its bearing ...

Again, the President's tariff talk tour was what ... And, again, the President's star assistant, Secretary Knox, has done the unpardonable thing: chagrined Americans by promoting polite gaffes in foreign ... Mr. Knox's strenuous intentions in international statecraft, ending in the last note of the soft pedal, have hurt in the most sensitive part of the body politic.

So—finance accuses—something had to be done to put the President right with the people and also to retrieve the prestige of the administration generally.

When a foreign potentate wishes to divert attention from mal-administration at home he declares war on a neighboring nation. When an American Mayor, Governor or President wishes to divert attention from the mistakes of his administration he declares war on the trusts—or on a trust—so superior finance insisted last week. To be popular, to rectify mistakes, to make amends for incompetence, one has only to bait a corporation. When in doubt, hit the vested interests. That always hits the mark, say the financiers, sarcastically.

The charge of demagogy is very vehement. Its vehemence has reached that degree where Wall street believes what it says, though in the first stage of accusation it was of that fine fibre of hypocrisy which seeks to transfer to other shoulders the result of error of judgment. Western and Southern bankers have been told by their New York correspondents that unless "Taft changes" the outcome to business must be dire.

One may commiserate New York, but one cannot believe that community. It must be restated, gently but firmly, as heretofore, that Wall street is substituting a huge cause for a small and plain one—the stock market "broke" because nobody outside of stock exchange environments would buy stocks. Figuratively, the outsider passed the Bourse with a haste which suggested he feared it was infected with a contagious disease.

And so it was—metaphorically. It had the pool disease—the blind pool, the dog-tail pool, the limited pool, the big pool in Steel common, the pool in Reading, in Rock Island, in Hocking Coal, the lion and tiger pools, and the pools in the cats and dogs.

These pools discredited the market. They made it dangerous, for all of them were operating on borrowed money, and nine-tenths of them on closely ... mitted last week, the "extra" and ... until the first of the current month, borrowed. They hung on desperately ... would liberate them. When the boom ... hoping the mythical "January boom" ... continued to shun the exchange—failed to materialize—when the ... banks ... they were called by their creditors, ... like Hocking Coal, the speculative coteries misjudged the time and ... The Steel and other statements ... no misjudgment of securities per se ... dividends declared, testified to the real worth of values.

Excepting the fragrantly rotten ... temper of the public. There was ...

The big combinations made up of finance's leaders are extant, minus a cashier in profit. The littlest foul combines are extinct. They were "called" by the banks and by the public.

Notes for Investors

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News About Railroads

[illegible] ... Northwestern Railway announces ...

The Burlington ... Pacific Coast ... Burlington's week ... conducted excursions from Boston to California.

One-way colonist rates will go into effect on the Northern Pacific March 1, and continue until April 15. Rates from eastern points to Oregon ... will be as follows: Chicago, $33; Boston, $49.45; Portland, Me., $53.7[illegible]; New York, $5[illegible]; Buffalo, $42.[illegible]; Cincinnati, $37.80; Pittsburg, $42; Baltimore, $48.25.

The Union Pacific has announced that the same colonist rates which were in effect last year will be put in effect again from March 1 to April 14 inclusive. These rates are $33 from Chicago, $32 from St. Louis and $25 from the Missouri River to far Western points.

Notice is given by the Rock Island of the establishment of through sleeping car service between St. Louis and Los Angeles. The new route is formed in connection with the Missouri Pacific and both standard and tourist cars will be operated.

March 1 to April 15 colonist rates will be in effect via the Great Northern Railway from Boston to Spokane, Seattle, Wash., Portland, Ore., and other Northern Pacific Coast points at $49.45.

The Union Pacific has issued a booklet on the resources and development of Colorado, which is regarded as one of the most complete of the kind ever issued in the State.

First National Earning $1 Share.

Private advices state that the smelter of the First National Copper Company is running two furnaces and treating 25,000 tons of ore per month. It is outputting better than 1,000,000 pounds of copper per month, at a cost of about nine cents per pound, and it should be earning at the rate of about $1 per share, or the same amount per share as Butte Coalition, although First National is selling for 8 and Butte Coalition for 20. There are over 5,000 stockholders in the company. The Guggenheims held an option on large blocks of the stock at $11 per share, but did not exercise the option on account of the inability of their engineer, "Yeatman," to make an examination previous to the expiration of the options.

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BOSTON STOCK MARKET

RAILROADS — BONDS — MINING STOCKS — LAND COMPANIES — TELEPHONES — ELECTRIC COMPANIES — MISCELLANEOUS — UNLISTED SECURITIES

[illegible]

THE MONEY MARKET

Jan. 29. 1910

Boston— [illegible]

New York— [illegible]

Bar silver ... Mexican dollars ... [illegible]

CLEARING HOUSE EXCHANGES

	1910	1909
Boston—		
Day	$[illegible]	$20,277,[illegible]
Week	[illegible]	15[illegible],051,976
New York		
Day	420,[illegible]	334,147,7[illegible]
Week	2,4[illegible]	1,865,01[illegible]

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

Market steady, posted ...

	Sight Drafts	60-Day Bills
Cable transfers	4.87	
Bankers' sterling	4.87	4.84
Commercial		4.8[illegible]
Francs	5.15	5.18
Reichsmark	.95	.95
Guilders	.40	.40

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

WHEAT.	High.	Low.	Closing.
May	111½	111	111½
July	101½	101¼	101½
Sept.	97½	97¼	97½
CORN.			
May	66½	66	66½
July	66¾	66¼	66½
Sept.	66½	66⅛	66½
OATS.			
May	48⅞	48½	48⅝
July	43½	43⅛	43½
Sept.	40½	40½	[illegible]

May Wheat in Outside Markets.

	New York.	Minn.	Duluth	St. Louis
Opening	118⅝	112⅝	112¼	111½

WOOL MARKET STEADY.

Wool prices continue to hold strong, the principal features stimulating the market at this between seasons being the firmness of foreign markets and sold-up conditions of stock on hand which is unusually low for this time of the year. During the past week leading consumers purchased all of the South American Lincoln, both spot and to arrive at 37 to 3[illegible] cents. About 2,500 bags of B ... were also moved at 36 cents, and fine ... territory is steady at 72 cents.

Otherwise the market is quiet, but trading is expected to develop much breadth during the early part of next month as reports from the goods departments ... a better feeling prevailing, with prices having an upward tendency and indicates that the effort by clothiers to break prices has not been successful. Besides as manufacturers have shown their goods booked a good many orders they are now in the market for supplies of raw material, and to this cause is attributed the demand that exists for the lower sorts of wool.

BOSTON CURB MARKET.

[illegible]

NEW YORK COTTON.

[illegible]

LIVERPOOL TELEGRAMS.

[illegible] ... closed quiet.

Copper and Coppers

Widespread attention is being devoted to COPPER METAL and COPPER STOCKS, owing to new merger developments affecting many of the prominent groups; the low price for the metal, and with the estimates given out generally by trade authorities that consumption on the part of the electrical companies in the United States will be some thirty per cent greater this year than last year. On this basis of consumption the present surplus will be entirely wiped out in about four months and naturally the net result will be a sharp advance in the metal. As each cent per pound advance in this commodity means some $15,000,000 additional income for the copper producing companies in this country annually we cannot but look forward to a long period of advancing prices for all classes of copper shares either upon merit or speculation. Our Market Letters, Special Wire Bulletins, Correspondence in the various Mining Camps, our Bureau of Information, System of Reports, Private Wires, Spacious Offices, Market Connections and Associations, and our competent staff of employees, enables us to extend to the public those facilities and accommodations which are necessary to their success.

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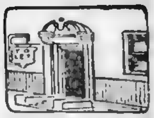

SOME BIG REALTY SALES RECORDED

Half [illegible] Figure in W[illegible]

BACK [illegible]

Roxbury [illegible] Strongly [illegible]

By FRANK A. LAVELLE

W[illegible]

[illegible]

Great Demand for Chicken Farms.

[illegible]

Bay View Heights.

[illegible]

Strout's Farm Sales.

[illegible]

Sales by Brooks' Real Estate Agency.

[illegible]

Farm Sales.

[illegible]

Realty Notes.

[illegible]

Roxbury.

[illegible]

East Boston

[illegible]

Dorchester.

[illegible]

West Roxbury.

[illegible]

Roslindale.

[illegible]

Newton.

[illegible]

Everett.

[illegible]

Holliston.

[illegible]

Sales by J. W. Wilbur.

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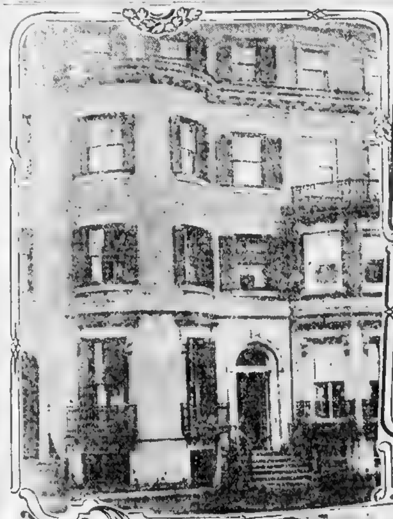
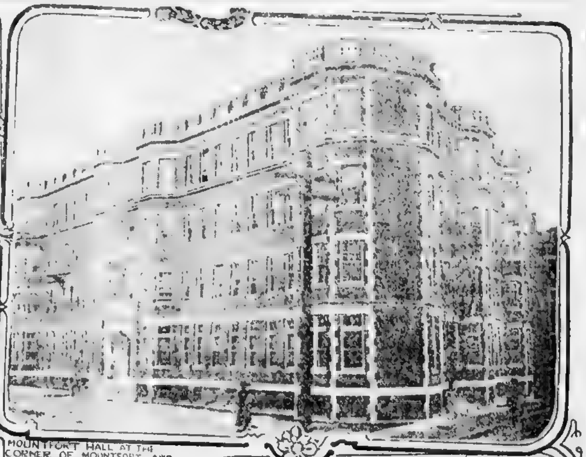
HANDSOME NEW APARTMENT HOTELS IN THE BACK BAY

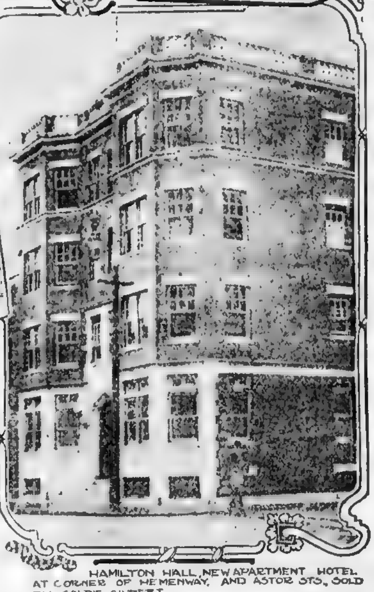


HANDSOME RESIDENCE AT NO 149 BAY STATE ROAD SOLD BY BROKERS T DENNIE BOARDMAN AND REGINALD BOARDMAN



MOUNTFORT HALL AT THE CORNER OF MOUNTFORT AND ARUNDEL STS, PURCHASED BY LENA LEVINE, ETAL

TWO NEW APARTMENT HOTELS, NOS 165-171 HEMENWAY ST. SOLD BY HARRY COLEMAN



HAMILTON HALL, NEW APARTMENT HOTEL AT CORNER OF HEMENWAY AND ASTOR STS., SOLD BY GOLDIE GILBERT

THEATRE SYNDICATE INTERESTS REALTY

Dartmouth Street Property Is Leased for a Term of Years; Start Work This Week.

With the formation of a $200,000 syndicate on State street the past week to operate a string of moving picture and vaudeville houses, the first step was taken in a movement that is of interest to [illegible] circles. Though not yet incorporated this syndicate, through its operating director, Irving F. Moore of the Irving F. Moore Amusement Company, of No. 2[illegible] Tremont street, has already [illegible] the property at Nos. 102-104 Dartmouth street next to the corner of Columbus avenue, for a long term of years, and work will commence on this site the coming week changing the estate into a moving picture and vaudeville house. This property, comprising a four-story octagon front brick building and [illegible] square feet of land, is assessed for a total of $23,[illegible]

The new theatre will be erected sufficiently large [illegible] It will extend [illegible] another exit will be located. It is estimated that the cost of re[illegible] and reconstructing the present [illegible] will be $50,000. It is expected to open on April 1.

As soon as the new syndicate is fully [illegible] it is expected that other [illegible] or options taken on present moving picture houses in the city. The company now has options on a number of such theatres, or to be erected shortly throughout the State.

H. W. Pierce, a State street broker, [illegible], formerly proprietor of the St. [illegible] Hotel, and the president of a Boston trust company are said to be the principal backers of the new syndicate, together with Mr. Moore, who will manage its affairs and also do the booking for the string of houses.

BROOKLINE APARTMENT.

Henry W. Savage Reports Important Property Sale.

Henry W. Savage reports that final papers have gone to record in the sale made by his office for John J. Johnston, Jr., of his new three-story brick and stone apartment house with 7,603 square feet of land at Nos. 1,247 and 1,249 Beacon street, Brookline, not far from Coolidge's Corner.

The building contains six suites, each consisting of eight rooms and two tiled bath rooms, and he attracted considerable attention because of its prominent location and the quality of the inside finish and equipment. The land is assessed on a valuation of $11,000. The building, being new, has not yet been assessed. The property as a whole is valued at $60,000. A. Gilligan, who took title, bought for investment.

$60,000 FOR TAXES ON CLARK MANSION

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[illegible]

Homesteaders' Chance.

Twenty thousand acres of land bordering upon the Columbia River, about [illegible] miles east of Portland, Ore., embraced in the third unit of the Umatilla irrigation project [illegible] given to take up a farm [illegible] from ten to forty acres [illegible] $4 per acre [illegible] all [illegible] above sea level, thus insuring climatic conditions favorable to the early ripening of fruit.

Real Estate Dinner.

The fourteenth annual dinner of the Real Estate Board of Brokers of the City of New York is to be held in the grand ballroom at the Waldorf-Astoria on the evening of February 10 and a very large attendance is expected. Like the dinner of the Boston brokers [illegible] as the great [illegible] meeting ground, where once a year the operator, developer, owner and broker meet on an enjoyable social footing, and at the same time share in what might be called "the clearing house for the exchange of real estate ideas."

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[illegible]

Webb Associates' Officers.

At the annual meeting and [illegible] of the Webb Associates, an organization of real estate men, held at the [illegible] House Wednesday, officers were chosen as follows: President, F. H. [illegible]; vice president, F. J. Taylor; secretary, F. C. [illegible]; and A. C. [illegible] Pope, chairman of the Board of Trustees.

REAL ESTATE AND HOME EXPOSITION

Madison Square Garden Leased for Big Show Beginning May 16.

The Horse Show
The Food Show
The Poultry Show
The Automobile Show
The Motor Boat Show
And now the Real Estate Show

The promoters of the latest word in the "show" line have leased Madison Square Garden, New York, for the week beginning May 16 for a show that will be officially designated the Real Estate and Ideal Home Exposition.

The management has inaugurated this plan for bringing developers, real estate operators, [illegible] house builders, bungalow builders and portable house [illegible] in closer [illegible] with prospective buyers and their wants.

The show is to be run under high-class conditions, and it is expected that dealers from all parts of the country will participate. This is the first time that any such show has taken place and it is to be a big undertaking, which it is believed will become an annual affair with other annual shows. The proposition has met with such approval among dealers and builders that the interest is already far exceeding the expectations of the management.

This exposition is intended to be not only profitable [illegible] to the visitors, bringing together under one roof [illegible] and methods in home [illegible] ing lands in all parts of the country, showing many new and up-to-date devices and acquainting those interested with the various prevailing prices.

RAPS ARCHITECTS FOR HEAVY 'EXTRAS'

State Official Criticises Lack of [illegible] in Giving the [illegible] Right Cost.

OWNERS ON WRONG TACK

Often Have Erroneous Idea of Expense Necessary for the Completion of Work.

IN reply to a number of [illegible] questions asked by a home builder through the Sunday American, a State official who has had seventeen years' experience as an architect and [illegible] has undertaken to answer some of these interesting queries, his views [illegible] the architect. [illegible] of his present position he signs himself "Architect."

"In answer to the question 'Why is it that contractors' bids on a building almost always exceed the architects' estimate of its cost,' I would state," he declares, "that the result of my experience is that [illegible] the owner comes to the [illegible] up with ideas [illegible] less than the cost [illegible] who will [illegible] of course [illegible] will be [illegible] will begin to [illegible] him his [illegible] experienced [illegible] of construction [illegible] different things [illegible] the total cost of [illegible] in the end. [illegible] left out the extent [illegible] be put in to [illegible] the [illegible] where the owner will [illegible]

Criticises Present Conditions.

I have [illegible] deal of business [illegible] with the [illegible] today, where everyone is trying to get everything cheap, make the architects' profession a singularly hard one to follow for an honest [illegible]. Nine times out of ten cases which are cited in your paper can be traced back to [illegible]

[illegible]

Men Should Organize.

"I know of many instances where this [illegible]

[illegible]

If I have [illegible] any light on the questions asked in your paper by a 'Home Builder' I will be glad to see it an entering wedge for the [illegible] of the architects' profession, which I am interested in, [illegible] than it has heretofore enjoyed.

FACTORY FOR CAMBRIDGE.

Caunt & Co. to Build Opposite World Shoe Structure.

Joseph Caunt & Co., shoe manufacturers of Lynn, have bought 42,000 square feet of land in Cambridge, at the corner of Amherst and [illegible] streets, opposite the World's Shoe and [illegible] Building. Plans and [illegible] will be drawn at once for a [illegible] of reinforced concrete, six stories [illegible] having approximately 60,000 square feet of floor area, to be erected on the land, leaving sufficient area to double the floor space later. As soon as the building is ready Caunt & Co., who employ about 500 operatives, will move from Lynn. Wilfred Barnes negotiated the sale of land.

Building Operations.

Statistics of building operations in New England, as compiled by the F. W. Dodge Company, are as follows:

CONTRACTS AWARDED.

From Jan. 1 to Jan. 2[illegible]	1910	$1,7[illegible]
corresponding period	1909	[illegible]
	1908	[illegible]
	1907	[illegible]
	1906	[illegible]
	1905	[illegible]
	1904	[illegible]
	1903	[illegible]
	1902	[illegible]
	1901	[illegible]

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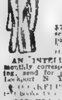

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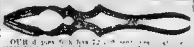

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By Herbert Kaufman

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The *winds* sang to you last night—they *crooned* around the *windows* and *called* through the *chimney* and *sobbed* the *oldest* music of the *spheres.*

Out of the *unknown* they came to you, laden with such melodies as only *great* hearts and *brave* souls can understand—wistful and eerie largos of the *what-has-been* and the *what-can-never-be.*

There aren't *words* with which to *phrase* the burden of their lays—at sound of which old wounds *dulled* with the *chill* of *Time* ache to *open* and voices call from the Never-Never Land, asking the *why* and the *wherefore* of things that *shame* you and make the *best* in you *blush* for the *worst* of you.

Oh, the *irreparable* Yesterdays—the steps that can never be *retraced*—the roses that *can't* be picked from the *gutters* of *wantonness* and *cleansed* of their *soil!*

And it *isn't* so much the things which you *did*—the *reckless impulse* or the *meditated wrong*—as what you have *neglected.*

There are *flowers* that have *withered* these many, *many* years in the Gardens of Memory. There are sweet, *clean* visions of the *Past* toward which your mind has *long since* ceased to *turn.*

There are *lonely mounds* in *quiet* acres, marked by *rain-stained* shafts, around which the grass grows *wild* and the *weeds* find root. The wind is trying to *tell* you—trying to say to you that there's *still* time—time to *remember.* Not with *ostentation* and *parade* of things that men can *see. Real* monuments *can't* be built of *stone.* Memorials of *tinted glass* are *tablets* to your *vanity,* by which a mob can learn the *lavishness,* not the *depth* of your *emotion.* If you would build windows to *memory,* set them up within a *soul.*

A woman is lying in a bald, *bare* room, tossing with *fever,* stung between *pride* and *grief,* shuddering for fear that she *must* plead at the *doors* of Charity. There's a *bed* in a *wholesome,* sunswept hospital, to which a *Memory* might send her, in token of love for *another* woman who would have been *glad* to know that recollection of *Her* made you *pause* in the blind grind *long enough* to place a *monument* of *gratitude* in a *stranger's heart* and to rear it there in *Her name.*

A *boy* will shiver in the early cold *to-morrow* morning—and go *slipping* on through the *slush* while *you* are snug within your *blankets*—a wee *bit* of a lad—one of the *pitiful* cogs in the wheels that *turn* to *earn* your *leisure.*

There was a *child* in the *Long Ago*—*about* the *same* age. And when the light *died out* of his bonnie eyes and he went—but *what's* the *use* of trying to bring it back to *you?* The *winds* have *sung* it to you until they are *a-weary.* You never *did* know—you never *will.*

You *wept* for a *day* and you *moaned* for a *night.*

Then *back* into the whirling, swirling, pleasure-glad, money-mad throng—*back* into the *fight* where Might prevails as *Right*—*back* to the selfish striving—*back* to smug *content*—*back* to gross and blunting *indulgence.*

And, meanwhile, the mound *stays* hidden under the *ragged grasses* and the shaft beneath the *cypress* grows *thicker* wish *moss.* And luckless *women* toss in their *cheerless* rooms. And *boys* so *like* the Other, draw *thin* cheap jackets *tighter* around their miserable *frost-stung* chests, and *you*—

Oh, well, *you* just *keep on* forgetting and WISH THAT THE INFERNAL WIND WOULD STOP RATTLING THE SHUTTERS.

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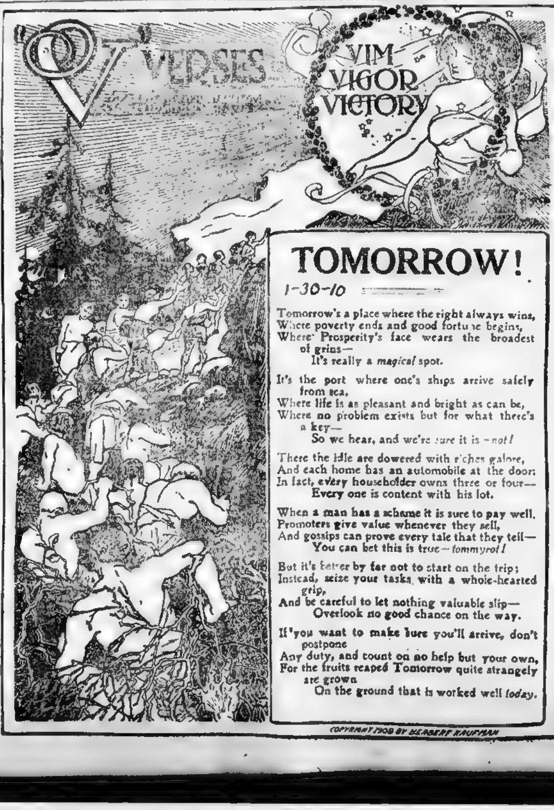

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Instead, seize your tasks with a whole-hearted grip,
And be careful to let nothing valuable slip—
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If you want to make sure you'll arrive, don't postpone
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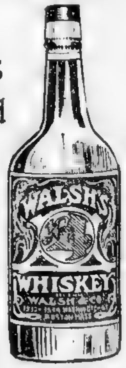

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[illegible] without it," Professor Phillips says.

Think of Primitive Man.

[illegible]

Breakfast Is a Fad

[illegible]

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The Sunday American, by special arrangement, again presents a splendid article on cooking and an excellent collection of cooking recipes by that famous authority Mme. Luisa Tetrazzini.

By LUISA TETRAZZINI.

WHEN we hear of [illegible]

[illegible]

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Devonshire Squab Pie.

[illegible]

Shropshire Pie.

[illegible]

English Plum Pudding.

[illegible]

A Winter Game Pie

[illegible]

Mutton Pie.

[illegible]

Chicken Pie.

[illegible]

Hare Pie.

[illegible]

Lark and Sparrow Pie

[illegible]

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[illegible]

Cheshire Pork Pie.

[illegible]

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Sixty-eight years ago to-day William McKinley was born [illegible]

Carnation Day, McKinley's birthday [illegible]

Boston celebrated the day along with [illegible]

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Smallpox in the [illegible]

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[illegible] B. Wise, Editor "A Sausage [illegible] and a big stuff."

DORCHESTER GUILD PLANS BIG SUCCESS ON GUESTS' NIGHT

MRS. WILLIAM A. LALLY

THE annual guest night of the Dorchester Guild, to be given in Whiton Hall, Centre street, Dorchester, on the evening of February 1, promises to be a big success. The organization was founded in 1903 by Dorchester women interested in serving the philanthropic and [illegible] needs of the district. The guild has accomplished much in a quiet way, ministering to hundreds of needy families.

Dancing and whist are the features of the annual guest night this year. The whist will be under the personal direction of Mrs. J. F. Coyle, and the dancing in charge of Mrs. William A. Lally, assisted by Mrs. F. J. Brown, Mrs. J. Brodky, Miss M. Bogan, Mrs. J. A. Coyle, Mrs. E. P. Deen, Mrs. J. H. Devereux, Mrs. E. G. Fitzgibbon, Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, Mrs. B. G. [illegible], Mrs. J. P. Haggs, Mrs. J. F. Kennedy, Mrs. F. A. King, Mrs. E. J. [illegible], Mrs. E. B. O'Leary, Mrs. W. Shook, Mrs. D. W. Sullivan and Mrs. J. F. Wells.

The Guild is under the direction of these officers: Mrs. Matthew [illegible], president; Mrs. M. J. Murray, vice-president; Mrs. James E. Coyle, [illegible] secretary; Mrs. R. H. [illegible]; Mrs. John B. Doherty, treasurer, and Mrs. William J. Nutley, auditor.

SOCIETY 60 YEARS OLD.

Father Mathew Society of Cambridge to Celebrate Tuesday.

The Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society of East Cambridge will observe its sixtieth anniversary in [illegible] Hall next Tuesday evening. Among the speakers will be the Rev. James E. Cassidy of Fall River and John F. Shea of the Boston Total Abstinence [illegible].

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[illegible] best from among the excellent replies to his call for [illegible] most difficult [illegible]

The editor of the contest which has been conducted by the Boston American for the past two weeks, [illegible] the hundreds of the best prepared and neatest replies were selected and these were selected by three New England women of the old school [illegible]

These women selected the twelve recipes which they [illegible] prizes were [illegible]

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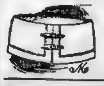

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Boston American
Foreign News
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HOPEFUL HOLLAND IS ONCE AGAIN IN EXPECTATION OF A ROYAL HEIR

Netherlands Begins to Believe Wilhelmina May Give Them a Crowded Nursery.

WOMAN'S CAUSE IN FRANCE

Marquis de Castellane Secures Some Interesting Contributions on the Subject.

By MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE.

Special Correspondent of Boston American.
Special Cable to Boston American.

PARIS, Jan 29.—I think I can give you some interesting news. Queen Wilhelmina of Holland bids fair to make her subjects the happiest people in the world. Again there is hope of an heir to the throne of Holland. [illegible] the Queen's husband [illegible] gossip [illegible] ring the domestic life of this royal pair. Now I happen to know that the little Queen always has been desperately in love with her big husband. She married him for love and she has never ceased to love him, despite gossip and court scandal. Indeed, it was through her devotion to him that she came to lose her first two children. She insisted on following him everywhere he went, especially on horseback, at times when she should have remained quietly at rest. The Prince, too, in a rough German fashion, has shown himself to be a man of heart.

MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE.

The faithful people of Holland are devotedly attached to the little Princess Juliana, but it is of the most vital importance the Queen should give them a prince who will one day be their king. They have only to be patient, for Wilhelmina is only thirty four and in robust health, so that there may be a whole nursery full of little princes to delight their hearts and further their hopes of a king.

Women's Rights in France.

I have been asking a few well-known public people for their opinion as to votes for women. I talked with Mlle. Lucie Felix Faure, daughter of the late President of France, and she said:

"Woman is admittedly greater than man from an economic point of view. Is it not absurd that she should be considered inferior from a political standpoint? In these days most questions are settled by popular opinion. Why, then, should not the saner, certainly the soberer, half of humanity be silent? It is neither reasonable nor logical."

Marcel Prevost, one of our best-known novelists, said:

"I have already put myself on record in favor of votes for women. I stand for equal rights in all things for both sexes."

Another eminent academician, Emile Faguet, said:

"I believe the women of every country would stand for sane conservatism and a high standard of morality. They are less sensual, less criminal, and certainly more sober than men. By all means let the women vote."

My own opinion, if you would care for that, is that universal female suffrage is more important for the progress of humanity than was the destruction of the Bastille. All men of intelligence who have studied the question are in favor of female suffrage. Condorcet in France, Mill and Gladstone in England, Lincoln in America, would have given women the right to vote.

French Chateaux for Sale.

Mrs. John Jacob Hoff, wife of the Standard Oil representative in Paris, and daughter of the late Commodore Whitney of Detroit, has just finished the restoration of the most famous chateau in France.

Mrs. Whitney-Hoff, as she is popularly called, paid $200,000 for the property. Originally it was a fortress with many watch towers. Around the chateau is a magnificent park. It is known as the Chateau Prieux and is near Aix-les-Bains, on the banks of the Rhone.

Speaking of castles reminds me that at the present time two American chatelaines are offering their properties for sale. The widow of Colonel Theodore A. Didge, president of the American Club of Paris, is selling the Chateau de Rosiere, which is about twenty miles from Paris, and the widow of Edmond Kelly, formerly counsellor of the American Embassy, is offering for sale the beautiful estate known as the Coney-le-Chateau.

American women are such successful and charming entertainers that we have been inclined to overlook American men as hosts. Yet over here there are scores of American men who have become notedly successful entertainers and social favorites.

Sicily's Year of Quakes.

ROME, Jan 29.—Nineteen hundred and nine was a year of earthquakes for Sicily, where the great catastrophe of the last days of 1908 ushered in a year of constantly recurring earth tremors. During the year ending December 28, 1909, no fewer than 543 shocks were registered at the observatories of the island, 180 occurring on the first day, and 192 in the month of January.

Mrs. Baldwin Sloane Goes Into Business

Composer's Wife Surprises Her Paris Friends by Appearing as "Trade Buyer."

Special Cable to Sunday American.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—The advent of Mrs. A. Baldwin Sloane, wife of the well known composer, into the commercial life of Paris as buyer for a New York [illegible] little surprise among her friends here.

Mrs. Sloane with Miss Molly McGrath, well known on the stage, have been engaged to conduct the millinery departments of one of the large New York stores, and they were sent to Paris to buy extensively of all the novelties that their good taste might suggest. They have been well received and entertained by the trade extensively. Mrs. Sloane, speaking of her experience, said:

"It is all right to be a buyer, but I must confess I had to cut out the social end of my new profession. At a big party given at the Opera for us we met a lot of peculiar people who, after being presented, made themselves better known by saying 'I'm in the line of hosiery or underwear, what's your line?'"

Mrs. Sloane says she expects to get used to this new social aspect of her commercial life, but she fears it will take New York to give her courage to proceed. She and Miss McGrath have left for New York with a cargo of bewitching styles for women.

Morton Burr Stelle, Jr., has doffed the sweater of the football field for the blouse of the artist and is now on his way to New York with the result of his two years' work in Paris to give an exhibition of his marines and landscapes.

The transition from athlete to artist has been accomplished by the influence of his wife, who is a sister of Mrs. Frank Peton. Mrs. Stelle accompanies her husband to rejoice in the victory she has achieved. While in New York they will be the guests of her father at No. 200 West Eighty-sixth street.

Frank Gould Makes Brilliant Turf Debut

Out of Four Starts He Wins Twice, Is Second Once and Third Once.

Special Cable to Boston American.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—Frank Gould, who is expected to return from Nice on Thursday to occupy his apartment No. 5 Avenue Victor Hugo, has been detained by the floods and is kept in Nice with his stable of race-horses awaiting an opportunity to get to Paris.

Mr. Gould has been most successful in this, his first entry on the continental turf. At Nice he made four starts, in which he won twice, was second once and third once. This is considered remarkable for such a small string of horses as he now has. Mr. Gould's manager, Fred Calhoun, has expressed himself as more than satisfied with this debut. He has hurried back to Paris to buy additional horses for the Gould stables, but the complications and confusion caused by the floods have made it impossible at present to effect his intended purchases.

Mr. Gould is now recognized as a coming important factor in coming French racing. He is enthusiastic over the sport and has placed no limit on the expenditure that may be necessary to place him among the big successful horse owners of Europe.

YACHTS ARE FITTING OUT.

American Vessels to Be Used on the Mediterranean.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—The political campaign has somewhat interfered with the plans made for the Mediterranean season, but nevertheless a fair number of vessels have already been fitted out for the South, while several others are under orders to be ready at an early date.

Among the well known craft which will be seen during the season at the Riviera ports one may note Mrs. Robert Goelet's Nahma, E. Miller Mundy's Narcissus (which is on charter to E. T. Garland), Captain A. M. B. Gage's yawl Moina, Howard Gould's Niagara, Theodore Bim's Rosabelle, G. Craig Seller's Rannoch, S. B. Joel's Doris, C. D. Rudd's Mingary (on charter to a son of the Archduke Charles Stephan), the Duke of Westminster's Grainaig, James Ross's Sheelah and the Duke of Sutherland's Catania (which has been chartered by Colonel Robert M. Thompson of the New York Yacht Club).

SCULPTORS TO COMPETE.

Swiss Monument to Commemorate the Telegraph Union.

GENEVA, Jan. 29.—The Swiss Federal Council has recently issued the programme of a competition for the erection of a monument at Berne to commemorate the foundation of the International Telegraph Union. The competition is open to all artists in the world, and will be decided by an international jury.

The cost of the monument must not exceed $35,000, in addition to carriage expenses, customs duties, and the cost of the foundation up to the ground level. The jury will distribute $4,000 among deserving competitors.

Models must be deposited at the Federal Palace, Berne, before August 15, 1910.

AVIATOR'S NOVEL IS OUT.

D'Annunzio's New Work Inspired by Wright Aeroplane Flight.

ROME, Jan. 29.—The first novel of aviation has just been published. It is entitled "Forse Che Si, Forse Che No" (Perhaps Yes, Perhaps No), by Gabriele D'Annunzio, the famous Italian poet, who has not written a novel for ten years.

Some months ago he had the experience of a flight in a Wright aeroplane with Lieutenant Calderara at the Brescia aviation meeting. His delight at the novel sensation was such that he then declared his intention of attempting to express in literature the "joy of gliding swiftly through space."

AMERICAN LONDON MOVES TO RIVIERA

Society Hostesses Flee from the Asceticism of Lent to Continental Brightness.

BRITISH CAPITAL IS DULL

Duchess of Roxburghe, Lady Craven and Lady Waterlow All Move Into Sunshine.

By CHARLES F. NORCROSS.

Special Correspondent of Boston American.
Special Cable to Boston American.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—London, socially speaking, will be a lodge in a wilderness until after Easter. Now that the general election is over, most of those who love variety and a change of scene are leaving for the Riviera and other Continental resorts for the purpose of escaping the ascetic reserve characteristic of the English social world in the Lenten season.

While there will be a few small entertainments by wives of members of Parliament, American hostesses will not do anything of moment until the return of the King from Biarritz.

The Duchess of Roxburghe is living in a villa in the South of France. She would not have gone there but for the health of the Duke, who is not robust since his bad accident in the hunting field was followed by pneumonia.

One of the most distinguished of American hostesses, the Countess of Granard, is awaiting an interesting event in her Charles street house in Mayfair.

Lady Cheylesmore, who was Miss French, is in the Riviera, where she will stay until the Spring, having given up her proposed trip to America.

Earl and Countess of Craven and the Bradley Martins will [illegible] South of France for some time and thence will go to Paris. It is said that Lord Craven cannot move a step without his mother-in-law. He apparently enjoys it.

The American Queen of the Riviera is Margaret, Lady Waterlow, who was Miss Hamilton of California. Even royalty seeks an invitation to her beautiful Villa Monterey at Cannes. She is quite cosmopolitan and her parties are cosmopolitan. Full of wit and vivacity, she makes the world a bright place for her guests and friends. She has made some fine alterations in her big house in Chesham Place, and in the forthcoming season will entertain on a large scale.

An Exodus of Hostesses.

Mrs. Spender Clay, William Waldorf Astor's daughter, expects to go to the Riviera. She worked hard to secure the Parliamentary candidature of her husband, whose success is a consolation to Mr. Astor for the defeat of his eldest son.

An impromptu dance was given by Mrs. Anthony Drexel Monday evening at her beautiful house in Grosvenor Square in honor of her daughter and second son. It was most successful, although small.

A wonderful supper was served in the crimson dining room. The tables were charmingly decorated with pale pink carnations.

Mrs. Drexel wore a bluish green gown with a rope of pearls around her neck and a wreath of gold in her hair.

Miss Drexel was dressed in white, trimmed with pearls. In her hair she wore a wreath of green leaves.

Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Drexel's sister, was dressed in unrelieved black. She wore a dog collar of pearls and diamonds and one row of enormous pearls.

The costumes of other guests were noteworthy, particularly that of Mrs. Arthur Crichton, who made a striking figure in emerald green with a diamond comb in her hair.

The party was in the nature of a farewell to Mrs. Drexel's son, who is smitten with the aviation craze and who is leaving London for Pau, where he will be instructed in the art of flying by French aviators. Mrs. Drexel and Mrs. J. H. Smith will make up for the absence of entertaining at Dorchester House by the Reids, who, being in mourning, will be compelled to limit their hospitality to official diplomatic receptions. It is known that the King in a roundabout way has done all he can to get Mr. Reid's term extended.

The Hon. Mrs. John Ward will spend little time in town. She loves country life and openly expresses her dislike for town society.

Royal Imitator of Lady Cardigan.

Although the Duke of Argyle is a distinguished author and poet, his works have not attained a popular vogue. Some of them have been called "Stodgy." Now the friends of the Duke say he is about to emulate the example set by the Countess of Cardigan and write something quite spicy. He has been gathering data for this book, the title of which is "Intimate Society Letters of the Eighteenth Century." It will be published in April. As the husband of the King's favorite sister, the Princess Louise, the Duke has had free run of a mass of royal documents, including some precious manuscripts from the library of Windsor Castle. He will have the assistance of the heads of many noble houses of Scotland, England and Wales, who will furnish him with interesting letters and documents, many of which have not seen the light of publicity.

Some of the most gossippy of these letters will throw a lurid light on the intrigues carried on in court circles in the wicked days of George the Third. There will be a series of letters dealing with the famous trial of Warren Hastings; the intimate correspondence of King George's sister, the Duchess of Brunswick; others from Dr. Moore, the father of General Sir John Moore, to the Duke of Hamilton and others, from Madame de Stael.

If the letters prove as sensational as expected it will be interesting to note the action taken by the Circulating Libraries Association, which refused to distribute Lady Cardigan's memoirs.

The Duchess of Argyle takes but mild interest in her husband's work. She is devoted to art, is a clever sculptor and painter and does not allow even the Duke to disturb her when she is working.

GIRL RIVALS FIGHT DUEL IN THE SNOW

Medical Student Makes Love to Two Austrian Belles, With Pistol Battle as Result

4 WILD SHOTS EXCHANGED

Then One Girl Is Shot in the Shoulder and Falls Bleeding in Snow; Will Recover.

By COUNT VON ELPHBERG.

Special Correspondent of Boston American.
Special Cable to Boston American.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.—A duel between female medical students has occurred at Presterlik, on the Silesian frontier.

Olga Metzeroff and Ilonca Unotsky quarrelled over their common love for a dashing young medical student named Brightener, who made love to both engaging himself to neither. The rivalry caused hatred between the girls and then blows were exchanged.

Being "advanced" women, they held themselves by the standards of male chivalry, consequently the Unotsky girl, who was the recipient of the first blow in the hand to hand fight sent two other female students as her seconds to Olga Metzeroff, who also obtained two. The four seconds arranged that the duel should be fought on German territory so as to avoid the Austrian police.

One Shot in Shoulder.

The conditions were, that pistol shots at fifteen paces should be exchanged until one of the combatants was disabled. Three days were spent in practicing pistol shooting, and then the duelling party crossed the frontier at sunrise and proceeded to a spot in a forest. The combatants took their positions and one of the seconds gave the signal.

The duellists exchanged four shots before either was hit. At the fifth shot the Metzeroff girl received a wound in the left shoulder and fell fainting and bleeding profusely in the snow. Her wound was bandaged and she was conveyed back to Austria. Her recovery is certain. The victorious combatant received an enthusiastic ovation from her fellow women students.

According to advices from Vienna the last diplomatic ball at the imperial court must have been a lurid affair.

One of the maids of honor appeared in such a sensational decollete gown, that the Archduchess Marie Valeria, granddaughter of the Emperor ordered her to leave.

May Recall the Count.

Next Count Aerenthal and the German Ambassador, Count Tschirschki exchanged sharp words at the ball, and there is a rumor to-day that Count Tschirschki will ask to be recalled. The reason for the dispute was not learned, but it caused a decided sensation.

Lastly among the guests was a Colonel Marischeuke, a Russian military attache, who was arrested because of his systematic espionage a few days ago and released. The Colonel was shunned by everybody, many turning their backs upon him. He left Vienna that same night.

Princess Marie Hohenlohe Wehringen, the wife of Prince Frederick Charles, has returned from a great hunting expedition in Africa. She is thirty seven years old, and the mother of two daughters. She was accompanied by her husband.

Her bag consisted of one elephant, two rhinos, three panthers, three leopards and a vast number of less dangerous animals. She wore a man's suit of khaki and stalked her game at night like a practiced sportsman. She had several narrow escapes, once killing a lion in the nick of time. For a period of four months, the Princess was the only woman in the expedition.

BRAZIL GETS WARSHIP.

Dreadnought Built In England Handed Over to the Republic.

LONDON, Jan 29.—The largest and most heavily armed battleship in commission in the world, the Minas Geraes, has been handed over on the Tyne by Messrs. Armstrong, Whitworth & Co., to the Brazilian Navy, for whom she has been built.

The Minas Geraes is a battleship of the most up-to-date Dreadnought type and displaces 19,500 tons. Her speed is 21¼ knots, and her main armor consists of twelve 12-inch guns with twenty-two 4.7 and eight smaller guns as secondary armament.

BENZINE AS A PERFUME.

Belgrade Swain Wanted to Impress Sweetheart as Autoist.

BELGRADE, Jan. 29.—A young man of elegant attire, George Pantovitch, has been charged for the third time with the theft of benzine from a druggist's store. His defence was: An otherwise good record, his recent betrothal, and the absence of any proof that he had been engaged in the manufacture of explosives.

Summoned to explain, Georg confessed that he sprinkled himself with the odoriferous fluid in order to impress his sweetheart with his familiarity in automobile circles.

A sympathetic magistrate dismissed him with a caution.

SWISS PARK IS PLANNED.

Attempt Will Be Made to Preserve Disappearing Animals.

GENEVA, Jan. 29.—The project to establish a national park in the lower Engadine is being discussed. The main object of the movement is to preserve from extinction many interesting forms of animal life, which are becoming fewer and fewer through indiscriminate shooting.

The land to be enclosed is a vast tract of forest and mountain. Brown bears are to be met with occasionally, as well as the chamois and fox.

Foreign Prince Is Favorite of Alexandra, Britain's Queen

Queen Alexandra and Prince Olaf, photographed in London.

QUEEN ALEXANDRA AND GRANDSON THE CROWN PRINCE OF NORWAY

BOYCOTT ON LIQUOR STARTED IN FRANCE

By J. M. E. D'AQUIN.

Special Cable to Boston American.
Special Correspondent of Boston American.

PARIS, Jan 29.—The two chief main stays of the French Government are the taxes on alcohol and tobacco. Inspired by the reports of the success of the meat boycott in the United States, the northern departments of France have boycotted alcohol, and a drink strike has spread through all northern France.

Now a general strike, including all trades is ordered for Monday. The cause of this popular uprising is the heavier license tax which the government is attempting to enforce. The keepers of cafes, taverns, barrooms, public houses have protested and asked the proletariat customers to back them up in their fight. The people went with the saloon keepers, except in a few isolated drink shops nothing being sold of an alcoholic nature. Gin is the favorite drink in that edge of Flanders, and the workingmen and old habitues are going without their daily drinks.

It all seems to be pure philanthropy on the part of the working classes in order to save the saloon keepers from paying increased license fees. Incidentally the movement is one of general discontent and a protest against the government. To-night it is reported that such important cities as Amiens, Boulogne and Douai have joined the movement, and an unusual sobriety reigns over northern France.

Meanwhile the internal revenue department is entering suit against the recalcitrant saloon keepers who refuse to sell alcohol. The question whether the men of north France have the right to stay sober or not will have to be fought out in the courts. The strike is spreading to the women, and temperance [illegible] of Paris and Lyons are sending funds to back up the strikers.

FIGHT SLAVE TRADE.

Italian Children Being Sold to Work in France.

ROME, Jan 29.—A terrible traffic in child slaves is being fought by the Italian Government. Official inquiry has revealed the existence of a system under which young children are bought from poor people in the Italian country districts, and drafted into Southern France to work in the glass foundries.

Appalling conditions exist in these places, where the children are subjected to harsh treatment and downright slavery. The children are entirely at the mercy of their captors, who usually bargain with the parents for the services of the children for a term of years.

The Italian Minister of the Interior has now addressed a circular letter to all the prefects in the kingdom, drawing attention to the evil and censuring the local authorities who have allowed such a system of slavery to continue.

Future King of Norway Much Petted by His Royal Grandmother.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Queen Alexandra's favorite grandson is not a boy who will ever be King of England and Emperor of India. He is in fact a foreigner in British eyes. But so was the Queen herself when she married Albert Edward, Prince of Wales.

She is a Dane and a Scandanavian by ancestry. So is little Prince Olaf of Norway, her favorite grandson. He is the Crown Prince of Norway, which was formerly under the rule of the same monarch as Sweden.

Norway and Sweden were twin realms until the Norwegians grew dissatisfied with that arrangement and seceded. They set up a separate government of their own without war or bloodshed and some day, if he lives, little Olaf will be its head.

He and his mother, Queen Maud, have been visiting King Edward and Queen Alexandra and the little heir-apparent has been seen much in public.

Unlike most princelings, he is a sturdy little chap and those Englishmen who are averse to kingly rule have to admit that he is a scion of royalty, who looks as if he might earn his own living. Queen Alexandra loves him so much that she would like to always have him at her knee. He is a very affectionate little chap and is said to have already manifested a most generous disposition as well.

ARCS PLAY AN ANTHEM.

London Audience of Children Hears Novel Performance.

LONDON, Jan. 29.—Electric arcs were made to play "God Save the King" at a lecture to children on modern electricity given at the Royal Institution by W. Duddell.

In illustrating the tuning up of wireless telegraph stations, Mr. Duddell connected a number of arcs with a key board to show the different notes given out as the oscillations in the arc varied, and by this means "God Save the King," was played. Other arcs in the neighborhood, said the lecturer, were in sympathy, and would each be playing tunes.

Meat Imports Lessen.

LONDON, Jan 29.—There is a steady decline in the importation of live cattle and sheep from America into Liverpool recorded in the annual report just issued. Cattle have declined from 272,415 in 1904 to 152,944 in 1909. Sheep have been even a greater decreasing quantity and an extremely rapid one from 263,112 in 1904 the number fell to 7,297 last year.

Count Is Mighty Hunter.

ROME, Jan. 29.—The Count of Turin, the Duke of the Abruzzi's brother, has been proving himself a mighty hunter in Africa, whence he is returning after a great hunting expedition. He brings back a splendid collection of stuffed animals and skins, which are to form a special section of the Zoological Museum at Florence.

BOGUS VANDERBILT'S NOTES DRAWN UPON BRAGANZA REACH $850,000!

Acceptance of These Bills May Land Anita Stewart's Brother-in-Law in Austrian Jail.

SHE ALSO HAS WORRIES

Her Husband Wants to Fight J. G. Bennett for Printing Unkind Things of Her.

By VANCE THOMPSON.

Special Correspondent of Boston American.
Special Cable to Boston American.

PARIS, Jan. 29.—More bills have come to light accepted by Francis Joseph Gerard Marie, Duke of Braganza, the brother-in-law of Anita Stewart, and drawn by the bogus Frederick Vanderbilt. The prince and the bogus American evidently worked overtime signing papers which now make a total of eight hundred and fifty thousand dollars. In addition to those bills which were presented in Paris, there are over six hundred thousand dollars' worth out in Europe.

Vance Thompson.

The Austrian courts will be the first to deal with the case as De Braganza has a curator appointed in that country to deal with his affairs, and it is a criminal offence for him to accept bills or attempt to get credit unless he was able to make some arrangements to meet the notes, so that before the end of February this Pretender to the Portuguese throne may find himself in an Austrian jail in spite of the fact that his godfather is the Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria.

As I have already cabled, the basis of the bogus Vanderbilt swindle was an emerald mine which he succeeded in getting on the market. The name of Vanderbilt backed by that of the Austrian-Portuguese royal prince, filled the investors with joy. It was from a dispatch to the American which was cabled back to Europe that they learned the bogus Vanderbilt had been imprisoned in Austria, expelled from France and had more than a bowing acquaintance with Scotland Yard.

Prince Francis Joseph is thirty one years old. He has been long in the matrimonial market, but as he would have to give up his pretensions to the Portuguese throne if he should marry an American woman, he demands an enormous dowry as compensation.

Prince Michael Gets Angry.

The Braganzas are a good deal in the public eye just now. It is on account of certain matters connected with Prince Michael, who married Anita Stewart, daughter of Mrs. Rhinelander Stewart of Philadelphia and stepdaughter of "Silent" Smith, that James Gordon Bennett has hastily ordered his yacht Lysistrata into commission and has sailed from Marseilles for the Far East. The cause of his sudden departure, it might almost be called a flight, is the wrath of Prince and Princess Michael of Braganza over an article which appeared in the Paris edition of the New York Herald on January 16, under the form of a cable from San Francisco. It was stated that Vesta Shortridge, wife of Emile Brugiere, a composer and wine agent of San Francisco, had accused her husband in open court of having sought the friendship of Miss Anita Stewart before her marriage while he was travelling in Europe. Mrs. Brugiere is said to have made this statement in the course of her trial for a divorce.

When the Prince de Braganza read the paragraph his anger was terrible. His wife did her best to calm him, but he insisted upon an immediate public apology or reparation by means of arms. De Braganza and the former Miss Stewart have taken a house at No. 3 Quay de Billy, where they are living under the titles of the Duke and Duchess of Vizeu, which is the title recently conferred upon them by the Austrian Emperor.

A conference was held there and De Braganza finally decided to leave the matter in the hands of his friend, the Duke Jaca D'Almeida. This Duke wrote a courteous letter to the Herald, stating plainly that the former Anita Stewart, now Duchess of Vizeu and Princess of Braganza, never had heard of Emile Brugiere and never had seen him, either before or after her marriage. The Duke added that it was therefore impossible that her name could have been mentioned in the divorce suit.

Duke Challenges the Editor.

This note was delivered to Mr. Bennett himself, who, instead of apologizing for the unwarranted insult to a young American girl, printed the letter with the sneering headline, "Impossible her name could have been mentioned."

When this appeared De Braganza sent his friend, the Duke D'Almeida, to carry a challenge to Mr. Bennett. What happened was that Mr. Bennett left France immediately. De Braganza says he has no intention of suing Mr. Bennett, but will force the editor to meet him in a duel.

Meanwhile Mrs. Clermont, mother of Jacqueline, who is Mr. Bennett's daughter, and who is now working as a dairymaid on a Canadian farm, has brought a new suit against Mr. Bennett. The case will come up in the First Chamber on February 9, when Mrs. Clermont will be represented by Henri Robert, a leading lawyer of the French Bar. Mr. Bennett's lawyer is M. Barboux, one of the Forty Immortals of the Academy.

Mrs. Clermont claims ten thousand dollars a year. In a preliminary discussion M. Barboux said: "It is impossible for Mr. Bennett to pay such a sum. He is not so rich as has been reported and the last year was disastrous for his newspaper property." Upon this statement M. Henri Robert consented to lower his demand to $5,000 as an annual payment to mother and daughter.

FR. DOWLING TELLS OF BIG FUTURE FOR IRELAND

Friar From Cork Says People Are More Self-Reliant and Hopes Run High.

TWO prominent Irish priests, who have just been in Boston on their way to the far Northwest on business connected with their order, are the Rev. Fr. Thomas Dowling, O. S. F. C., and the Rev. Luke Sheehan, O. S. F. C., of Cork city, Ireland, where they are attached to the Church of the Holy Trinity, better known as the Fr. Mathew Memorial Church, so named in honor of its distinguished founder, Fr. Theobald Mathew, the apostle of temperance.

The priests of this church belong, as the letters after their name indicate, to the order of St. Francis Capuchins. It is one of the most austere orders of the church. Its principal activity is the conduct of missions or retreats, a work in which the Franciscan fathers have been eminently successful.

Last year the order in Cork was invited by Bishop O'Reilly of Baker City, Ore., to come to his diocese and establish a foundation of their order there. It is for the purpose of looking over the territory and of noting its future possibilities that Frs. Dowling and Sheehan have been sent out by their superiors to the United States. They expect to return to Ireland about June.

The visiting Irish friars were much pleased with their few days in Boston. Under the escort of some friends they visited the State House, the park system, the Boston Public Library and a few others of the city's show places. The beautiful Shaw memorial in front of the State House proved an object of great interest, both on account of its design and the story of the hero whose memory it preserves.

Hopeful For Ireland.

Speaking to a reporter for the Sunday American, Father Dowling gave a hopeful forecast of the future of the Irish people in their own land.

"Of course, you will understand," said the priest, "that we do not talk on political affairs, but I do not feel any sense of restriction in talking to you about the present social conditions in Ireland.

"These have been wonderfully improved. Indeed, I might say that to any person who has not seen Ireland in twenty years the improvement in conditions can scarcely be credited. The tone of the people is better, their bearing is more self-reliant, their hopes for the future are higher than they have been for generations.

"This great [illegible] is due to the sense of ownership and of personal responsibility which now animates the tiller of the soil. The passing of landlordism has indeed wrought a great change in the people, a change that far outweighs in importance the mere question of rent. Work now means for the Irish farmer and his hardworking associate, the laborer, better returns, better prospects, better homes for themselves and their families. Work under the old regime of absentee, rack-renting landlordism meant misery and want, little or no returns and, in the long run, at the end perhaps of a long and laborious life, heartless eviction.

"Those bad days are gone forever, thank God, and the Irish skies are brighter for their passing."

In answer to an inquiry as to the industrial or commercial future of Ireland, Father Dowling said:

"We are making great progress with industrial, or as you call it here in the States, technical education of the rising generations. The science of agriculture and its attendant science, that of the dairy—and Ireland will always be an agricultural country—is being promulgated throughout the country districts in thorough, practical fashion, by skilled teachers. The Irish farmer of ten years from now will take rank with the most progressive agriculturists in the world.

Big Gain for Temperance.

"So much for the social and material side of the Ireland of to-day. In the religious order we are doing splendidly. The temperance cause is advancing, but along rational and reasonable lines, devoid of that intolerant fanaticism which sees no good in any one who does not go the full length of the road to total abstinence.

"When our fathers are on a mission they talk temperance with all the zeal at their command. Temperance badges are distributed to those who wish to wear them. It would surprise you to see the thousands of those badges that are now worn throughout Ireland. As to the attendance of the people to their religious duties as practical Catholics, I do not believe there is a country in the world in which the people, men, women and children, attend to their church duties as they do in Ireland. And this applies not to the mere going to church on Sunday, but to the frequenting of the sacraments also. Ireland is to-day practically a crimeless country, the statistics of offences against morality are, perhaps, the lowest in the civilized world. Such a people as this cannot help making progress under the new conditions, which are now, I am happy to say, in full operation."

LYNN PRIEST WHO ABLY AIDS WORK OF MGR. TEELING

GIVES PRIESTLY LIFE TO NATIVE PARISH

Labors of Rev. Fr. Curtin Have Won Approval of Superior and People.

NO Lynn priest is better known to the general public or more beloved for his kindliness and for his interest in the city's welfare than is Rev. Timothy A. Curtin, for the last thirteen years assistant pastor of St. Mary's Church under Rt. Rev. Mgr. A. J. Teeling.

Born in Lynn, within the parish to which he has given his entire services, this popular priest has been a large factor in moulding together the strength of the parish under the direction of Monsignor Teeling.

Fr. Curtin will be in charge of the annual parish reunion of St. Mary's to be held to-morrow night in Odd Fellows' Hall, Lynn, the plans for which have been in preparation for several weeks.

Rev. Fr. Curtin was born in Lynn forty years ago. He graduated from St. Mary's Parochial School with the first class of boys sent out from the school. In his class were Rev. John P. Gorham of Haverhill and former Representative William A. Kelley of Lynn. He graduated from Boston College in 1892, and four years later finished his course at St. John's Seminary, Brighton. He was ordained December 18, 1896, and was at once appointed assistant pastor under Mgr. Teeling, where he has since remained.

LOYAL MEN NEEDED.

Father O'Rourke Discusses Political Matters in Sharp Fashion.

Speaking in Pittsburg Cathedral before an immense congregation on "The Duties of the Catholic Man," the Rev. John H. O'Rourke, S. J., one of the ablest preachers among the Jesuit priests of America, said:

"You may regard me as pessimistic, which I do not want to be, but the ubiquity of barefaced, wholesale dishonesty, is admitted by all. It can be found in high and low places, in our municipal, State and federal governments. An ordinary day laborer, working in the mills of this great city, is put in jail if he sells his vote for a few dollars which he uses to pay his high rent and to put bread into the mouths of his starving children, but the scoundrel in the United States Senate or Congress who sells his vote to some railroad or corporation escapes free to use his ill-gotten gain, often to obtain a divorce from his lawful wife and to live openly with a woman whom he has chosen. But I forbear to pursue this subject. We need loyal men if this country is to be won to the Church of God."

REDMOND FEELS A GRAVE DUTY IN LEADERSHIP

Talk of American Domination in Irish Party Politics Without Real Basis.

WILL NOT BE HURRIED

Faction Leaders Elected by Small Majorities, Aided by Votes of Tories.

Special Correspondence of the Sunday American.

DUBLIN, Jan. 20.—The next six months will be a period of great suspense in Ireland, as it will also be a period of surpassing interest to all friends of Ireland throughout the world.

It will take fully half a year to get the [illegible] "shaken down," to use a phrase of the marine engineers as they talk of the machinery of a newly built Atlantic liner.

There is now no question of the [illegible] defeat—they prefer the name Unionist to Tory in this election, be it noticed, but they are every man of them Tories, all the same—and there is sound reason for hoping from the standpoint of Ireland that the Nationalist party will hold an enormously valuable vantage ground when the grand line-up of the House of Commons takes place in a few weeks.

In the stirring and, in many ways, dramatic events of the last few weeks Mr. Redmond has kept his head cool and level. By his every utterance and act he has shown to the country a wonderful example of judicial calmness and self-control under circumstances of the most trying and irritating nature.

Redmond realizes the responsibility of the hour. He sees that this is a time for hard thinking and for little shouting from the housetops. Parnell himself was never faced by a situation more delicate or more finely poised than that which has arisen as the result of the present general election.

Those who imagine that the Irish Nationalist leaders are going to [illegible] on to the floor of the House of Commons the first day Parliament meets and demand with a [illegible] home rule for Ireland are going to be [illegible] in their calculations. Ireland has been fighting 110 years to gain the position her representatives now hold. That coveted and long fought for opportunity is not going to be thrown away as spoiled children toss aside a new toy of which they have grown tired. Those whose wishes are parents to their thoughts in this direction are going to have lots of time to wake up and dream along opposite lines.

Grounded in Statecraft.

Redmond, Dillon, O'Connor, Devlin and their associates are men well grounded in their statesmanship. They have traveled around the world and have taken counsel with the best political minds in the universe. They know the history of their country and the causes which led to the mistakes and the failures of the past. Those shoals and quicksands are all well charted now. The bark of Ireland's hopes will be kept far out in clear water and the men on watch will take close soundings. The prophets of evil have plenty of time to go home and rest.

Both Mr. William O'Brien and Mr. T. M. Healy, who worked so hard to destroy national unity, have no reason to feel proud of the majorities by which they escaped defeat. The former led Mr. Roche, the regular Nationalist candidate in Cork city, by ninety-four votes out of a poll of 13,000. Mr. Healy holds on to his seat in Louth by a lead of ninety-nine in a district of 6,000 voters. Both would have been badly beaten were it not that they were supported by the Tory Unionist alliance. Left to the tender mercies of the Nationalist voters and without the aid of the Orange-Unionists of Cork and Louth, both Mr. O'Brien and Mr. Healy would have been sent into private life during the tenure of the next Parliament.

Some enterprising gentleman of anti-Nationalist sentiment, and there are quite a few of him officially close to the British end of the cables, has sent out to America a story, which received wide circulation, to the effect that "the Irish home rule party, being financed from America, would be controlled from America in its policy as a dominant element in the House of Commons about to be inaugurated."

The story was cabled back to this side and printed by the Tory Unionist press in big type and flaming headlines on the front page.

Thousands of Supporters.

This Tory dodge is too old now to work much harm. The "Servant Girls of New York" sneer and the "American paymasters" taunt were long ago thrown into the scrapheap of every decent editorial office as too worn and wrinkled to work any further impression on the public mind.

The Irish party has no American, Australian, South African or Canadian "paymasters." But they have thousands and tens of thousands of honest, generous supporters in all four countries, who, while glad to be able to take a hand in the greatest fight for a nation's liberty that has marked modern times, have never a thought of even attempting to dictate a policy or line of action to the leaders on the ground in Ireland.

When this fight began thirty years ago no stronger ground was taken upon any subject by the able men who, on your side of the Atlantic, organized the American wing of Ireland's great international army, than was covered by the emphatic announcement repeatedly made by Patrick A. Collins and by John Boyle O'Reilly, that the duty of Ireland's children and friends who were beyond the coasts of Ireland should begin and end with such monetary aid as could be afforded to help the men at home to carry on the struggle.

Basis for Outside Aid.

"There must be no attempt at dictation to the men in Ireland," said Mr. O'Reilly more than once in solemn warning. "They are the men in the gap. They know what's before them; we don't. They have to take all the risks; we do not have to take any. We should not hamper them, then, by our gratuitous and perhaps valueless advice. It is our part to give them financial aid and to confine ourselves to that patriotic duty."

Such was the policy laid down by Collins, by O'Reilly, by Father Conaty, by Father McKenna, by McCaffrey of Philadelphia, by Patrick Ford of New York and the rest of that brilliant band of Irish-Americans who rallied to the support of the Irish cause in the early 80's.

It was the only basis upon which Parnell could have accepted outside aid in those days. It is the only basis upon which John Redmond, the successor of Parnell, can accept outside aid to-day.

M'CLOSKEY BIOGRAPHY.

Archbishop Farley Writing Life of Late Cardinal.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—Archbishop Farley is writing the biography of Cardinal McCloskey, for whom he acted as secretary for many years. The archbishop has collected letters and documents relating to the life of his eminent predecessor from all parts of the United States and from countries in Europe.

Most Rev. John McCloskey was second archbishop of New York and America's first cardinal. The centenary of Dr. McCloskey's birth will occur March 10. The event will be appropriately observed in this city and throughout the New York archdiocese.

PLASTERERS AGREE TO ONE YEAR'S WAGE NOTICE

Union No. 10 Makes New Working Arrangements with Employers' Association.

BLOW AT PROPOSED LAW

Leaders Say New "Disputes" Act Is Superflous Legislation and Will Fight It.

UNDER a signed agreement voluntarily entered into with their employers members of Boston Operative Plasterers' Union No. 10 are bound to give one year's written notice if desirous of changing their wage-scale and working rules.

A large number of other unions give notices of from thirty to ninety days in such cases. All of which, labor leaders say, proves that the proposed law making a misdemeanor punishable by fines ranging from $50 to $1,000 to call a strike or lockout without first giving thirty days' notice, is superfluous legislation.

Friends of the bill declare that if the unions voluntarily enter into such agreements with the employers, the "Industrial Disputes" act cannot harm union labor. And they, too, are citing the plasterers' working agreement as an argument in favor of the bill. They also say that the long term notice feature of the Plasterers' Union largely is responsible for the fact that they are among the highest paid craftsmen in Boston.

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An open meeting is announced for the [illegible] of officers at the Cambridge Central Labor Union Thursday night. The [illegible] are E. F. Looney of Cigarmakers 68, president; R. J. Harry of [illegible] 3, vice-president; C. F. [illegible] of Federal Union 8249, secretary; [illegible] of Typographical 61, treasurer; Dan Burke of City Employes 8249, sergeant-at-arms; M. D. [illegible], H. W. [illegible] and F. F. Bowen, [illegible], Morris, [illegible] Bennett and [illegible] Coffey, auditors.

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Headed by Typographical Union 13 of Boston, the forty-six locals of that craft in the New England States, through the general organization and the New England Typographical Union, are planning a whirlwind organizing campaign that has for its object the complete unionizing of every town and city in the district. It is the biggest movement ever started by the union [illegible] of this vicinity. Local Organizer Charles O. Wood declares that no reasonable expense will be spared to insure its success.

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Four thousand five hundred members of their general union still being idle in Vermont following the lockout of November 16, with no immediate prospects of the trouble being settled, the members of Boston Branch, Granite Cutters' International Association, will meet in special session at No. 164 Canal street Tuesday night to deal with important questions relating to the trade as a whole.

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With their campaign for the thorough [illegible] of all [illegible] following that call [illegible] the State well under way, a meeting of the State Executive and the State Organizing Committees of the Steam Engineers' Union will be held at No. 995 Washington street to-day to provide ways and means for the successful completion of the work already started.

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In an attempt to form a central organization among the various unions of the [illegible] employed on the Boston & Maine Railroad that shall be similar to that of the Federated Trades of the New Haven system, calls are out for a meeting of the unions interested at No. 164 Canal street Monday night, February 7.

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Following severe denunciation of the trusts and the middlemen for their extortion in boosting prices, the La Crosse Trades and Labor Council has purchased a full car-load of flour direct from a small producer for distribution at cost among the trade unionists of that city.

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Old Colony Lodge of Boston Brotherhood of Railroad Clerks holds its fifth annual ball in Paine Memorial Hall on Friday night, February 4, and Boston Coal Hoisting Engineers' Union 174 celebrates its anniversary in Roughan Hall, Charlestown, the same night.

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Braintree and Weymouth to-day are included in the extended jurisdiction of Quincy local of the Bricklayers, Masons and Plasterers' Union, following the report of James Mullen, delegate to the recent biennial convention of the International organization in this city.

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That the initiation fee of all locals affiliated with the Carpenters' District Council of Greater Boston soon will be increased to at least $20 for every new member is the statement of men prominent in that union.

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The annual "stag party" of Boston Association 12, National Association of Steamfitters, will be held on February 6 at No. 995 Washington street.

Taft Praises K. of C.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 29.—Speaking to the national directors of the Knights of Columbus, President Taft expressed gratification at the growth and success of the order. He spoke especially of his personal contact with the organization in the Philippines while he was Governor there.

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STATE HOUSE NEWS OF REAL INTEREST TO COMMON PEOPLE

By A. POLITICAL SHARPE.

SPEAKING about the high cost of living or the cost of high living or whatever it is—have you procured your tickets yet for to-morrow's hearing on the Income Tax bill before the Legislative Committee on Federal Relations? The hearing will be in Room 240, State House, and it will be a one-sided affair unless a good-sized body of sturdy, plain citizens take it into their heads to go up and have their say. It isn't violating any confidence to say that the Income Tax needs all the help it can get. The members of the Committee on Federal Relations have had music about the faults of the measure drummed into their ears for many days. They have heard little about its merits.

Enemies of the tax are at work in the State House lobbies, at the hotels where the out of town legislators live during the session and even in the legislators' homes. They have left no stone unturned. The lobby, too, is on the job. It has been assigned to the special task of silencing legislators who are likely to make a howl for the measure on the floor of the Senate or House. The lobby is doing its work well, and it is doing it in the usual way. Its members know how to gag legislators who can be gagged, and they know the color that each likes to be gagged with.

All that the enemies of the measure fear now is a march to the State House by the citizens who favor the measure, but who seldom know enough to open their mouths and assert their rights. It wouldn't be at all improper for such folks to climb Beacon Hill to-morrow, go to Room 240 in the capitol, and tell the Committee on Federal Relations what they think of the income tax.

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Speaker Walker Has Changed; Changed for the Better, Too.

KEEP your weather eye on Joseph Walker, speaker of the House of Representatives. Mr. Walker showed his calibre a few weeks ago when he announced his committee appointments. They were not of the sort to give the public service corporations heart failure, but they were not quite as pro-corporation as were the appointments of some previous speakers or even the appointments of Mr. Walker himself last year.

The speaker further showed his calibre when he filed his bill for direct nominations for Representatives and Senators. Some persons abused him and referred to his bill as an obstacle to a general bill for direct nominations.

There is no excuse for anyone to say that Walker is playing hide and seek on the direct nominations proposition. He has thrown down the gauntlet to the Republican party bosses and their errand boys, Cushing among them. "If we are to have a fight on this matter, let's have it in the open," says Walker. The affair may result in the side-tracking of Mr. Walker by the G. O. P. bosses and the substituting of some more easily handled man.

Let's hope not. Converts of this sort aren't often made. Mr. Walker's conversion ought to mean a lot for him and for Massachusetts.

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Fear Not. Wilmot Will Stay.

THE Commonwealth is safe. Senator Wilmot Evans of Everett has declared that he doesn't intend to fight for a seat in Congress next Fall. What the State would do with Wilmot absent from its borders nobody dares to guess. His announcement that he intends to stay in Massachusetts must have made the people he represents on Beacon Hill feel good. Who are the people he represents? Take a trip up to the State House some day, hear how he answers on roll calls, and you'll have no difficulty in determining whom he represents in the Senate.

Another Nail in His Coffin.

THE Executive Council has confirmed Lobbyist Allan G. Buttrick's appointment as a court justice and has thereby clinched what would be another nail in Governor Draper's political coffin if the present Democratic State organization wasn't so much at odds with itself. Allan Buttrick isn't the worst fellow on earth. He is rather a good fellow. It's part of his business to be so. But some good live campaign orators ought to find in his appointment by the Governor enough material for one night's speeches in the campaign.

There are many things about Governor Draper that State House habitues and students of State Government have to admire. You can always find him. You may usually find him where you don't want him to be, but the experience of finding him is not unpleasant after studying Governors whom you couldn't find at all. It is this very fearlessness that is [illegible] political enemies for Mr. Draper. His open stand for everything the New Haven road wants is not making friends for him. This stand and other stands may make his path to re-election a rocky one.

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Democrats Are At It Again. Does Gaston Want the Job?

PERHAPS Governor Draper is wise, though, to what's going on in the Democratic ranks. After the near-victory of a few months ago, one might imagine that the Democrats from one end of the State to the other would stand shoulder to shoulder and plan to make the election of their State ticket next Fall certain. Is it so? Nay, nay. Scrapping for all they're worth. Cutting each other's throats. Trying to trip each other up.

A wise old Democratic owl who has weathered about too many campaigns to count went up to the State House the other day and tried to find out just what there is in all this talk about William A. Gaston wanting to run for Governor on the Democratic ticket next Fall. He talked with Democratic legislators from every section of the State. Most of them had heard that Gaston has put up a lightning rod for the Democratic nomination, but none professed to have received any direct information from Mr. Gaston himself.

Gossip among men who ought to know has it that Vahey will be given a fight by some candidate who represents the conservative wing of the party, and that an attempt will be made to make Gaston the compromise candidate. The men who ought to know say that the leaders of the conservative wing want next year's ticket to be Gaston and John R. Thayer of Worcester.

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"Newhavenitis" Is Spreading.

"NEWHAVENITIS" is a disease that causes its victims to go up to the State House and ask for the earth. It cropped out last week in Chelsea and Lynn. John E. Bock, former Mayor of Chelsea, and a trio of Lynn citizens went before the Legislative Committee on Mercantile Affairs the other day and asked for "a simple little charter." Examination [illegible] the simple little charter [illegible] Bock and his conferees to buy, hold and sell real estate, mortgages, stocks and bonds. Pretty broad charter. The bill [illegible] out one [illegible] in ten million of getting by. If it were a bill backed by Mr. Charles S. Mellen or some other plutocrat, its chances would be better.

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"V. for the I. of P. for L." That's Salter's New Title.

REMEMBER Bill Salter? He was in the Senate last year. He lives in Lynn. Bill is back at the State House this year, but not as a Senator. Oh, no. Entirely new line. "Voucher for the Integrity of Petitioners for Legislation." That's his new job. He went before the Committee on Mercantile Affairs the other day and vouched for the integrity of John Beck and the other Lynn-Chelsea victims of "Newhavenitis." That ought to help the petitioners if anything will.

Too bad Bill didn't have somebody around last year to vouch for the integrity of the Lechmere Canal bill. Remember that bill? Salter's committee voted to report adversely on it. Then the bill was lost. Several weeks later Salter "found" it in his own pocket and filed it in the Senate with a favorable report instead of an adverse report from his committee.

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Much Ado About Nothing.

VISITORS to the State House last Wednesday were startled by loud shouting in the Senate chamber. Sounded as if somebody was getting killed. A few of the visitors wandered into the chamber to see just what was going on. They found the upper branch in a turmoil. One distinguished looking member would rise, wave his arms wildly and shout something that was unintelligible to the galleries. Another Senator would succeed him, also wave his arms and shout something that couldn't be interpreted.

The uninitiated visitors imagined that some terrible corporation was trying to steal the State House and that the orators were fighting to save it. Were they right? Nix. Just a paltry little bill to provide for the installation of a new elevator on the Senate side of the Capitol. When some corporation does try to steal the State House you won't find all that commotion in the Senate. The Senate isn't built that way. Don't believe it? Go up and see for yourself.

LYNN KNIGHTS TO DANCE WEDNESDAY

National Advocate Pelletier Is Among Invited Guests of the Valladolid Council.

The annual concert and dance of Valladolid Council, Knights of Columbus, Lynn, will be held next Wednesday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall. Philip A. Kiley has general charge, and William J. McNamara is secretary of the general committee. District Attorney Joseph C. Pelletier of Boston, national advocate, and State Deputy William O'Brien and State Secretary Louis Watson, both of Boston, are among the invited guests.

Thomas J. Harney, Lynn's biggest shoe manufacturer, will be floor marshal and Dr. Lawrence B. McGovern floor director.

The full list of aids:

Thomas J. Harney, Joseph D. A. Healey, Fred T. Mackan, John M. Harney, J. Fred Callaghan, Thomas J. Hogan, T. Joseph McInerney, [illegible] F. Harney, Lawrence P. McGovern, John A. O'Keefe, Jr., Walter A. Ham[illegible], James J. [illegible], Bernard J. [illegible], James J. Donahue, [illegible] Fitzgerald, William H. Smale, John F. Brazell.

Reception committee—Joseph D. A. Healey, chairman; [illegible], Thomas L. Lennox, James W. Sullivan, Fred W. Bent, John L. Brosnahan, John F. Campbell, Charles S. Halliday, Jr., William H. Smale, Dennis B. Sullivan, Patrick J. Desmond, Thomas J. Gorham, Joseph E. Armitage, Patrick H. Burke, Edward L. Cahill, Joseph A. Callahan, Bernard E. Carbin, Thomas J. Casey, William P. Connery, Henry Cormack, Charles M. Cronan, Dennis S. Day, William E. Dee, Dr. Peter C. Devlin, James J. Donohue, William J. Hennessey, Dr. John J. Mangan, Dr. Edward T. Manix, J. Joseph Martin, John F. McCarty, Richard B. McCarthy, Andrew J. McGrough, John M. Thompson, Edmund O'Callaghan, Frank J. Dolansky, D. J. Donohue, Dr. M. R. Donovan, Daniel J. Driscoll, George H. Fox, James S. [illegible], [illegible] Griffin, Hubert J. Harney, Frank P. Hart, John S. Hearn, Dr. Walter L. Hearn, Joseph A. Herlihy, [illegible] McCormack, Michael E. McEntee, Mathew S. [illegible], Dr. John M. [illegible], J. Walter McInnes, Charles E. M[illegible], [illegible], J. [illegible], William S. Pearce, Daniel Sharkey, George F. Sheehan, Patrick E. Sterry, James H. Duffy, Edward H. Dee, Dr. M. Joseph Keller, Dr. John Kennedy, Joseph W. Leary, Leo F. [illegible], John M. [illegible], John Meagher, Joseph H. Monahan, Daniel J. Moran, J. Thomas Sullivan, Thomas J. Bassett, Dr. George W. McAleney, Patrick H. Cotter, Joseph P. Cooley, Thomas B. Fenney, John J. Haines, Alonzo P. Grinell, William B. Dougherty, John H. Dolan, Michael F. Donovan, John A. Doyle, Daniel F. Dunn, Charles D. Farrell, John J. Fitzgerald, Arthur J. Flanagan, Daniel H. Gallagher, John P. Grady, Daniel Hamill, Michael P. Haven, Dr. Edward J. Hayes, John F. Brazell, Joseph R. Freehon, John J. Conners, Daniel F. Daley, [illegible] Callahan, Thomas J. [illegible], J. Fred Callahan, William F. [illegible], John J. [illegible], Frank J. Green, William Hayes, David A. Healey, William R. Herlihy, Dr. J. D. [illegible], [illegible], Frank Sharkey, Joseph O'Brien, Frank P. Mackessy, George A. Macinfant, [illegible] McDonald, Fred T. Mackan, J. [illegible], Mark [illegible], D. George Haloran, Albert A. Weber, William S. Weber, John F. [illegible], John J. [illegible], Frank C. McHugh, John [illegible], [illegible], Thomas N. Peters, William J. A[illegible], Francis J. Callahan, Edmund J. Kelley, Joseph H. Lacey, William E. Donovan, Maurice E. Flynn, Michael J. Harney, Arthur J. Manning, Charles F. Manning, John J. [illegible], Stephen M. [illegible], John F. Donahue, George J. Arrell, Thomas M. [illegible], Fred J. Dorgan, John C. Flynn, Frank J. Donnelly.

PRAYS, QUITS CRUTCHES.

Declares Fervor at Grave Cures Paralysis.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 29.—A fervent prayer at the tomb of Bishop Neumann in St. Peter's Catholic Church cured Charles Helligman of the paralysis that had made him go on crutches for the last three months, according to the story he told Police Sergeant Humphries.

Helligman is an electrician, and while working with a live wire received a shock that completely paralyzed the right side of his body.

"I was despondent about it," said Helligman, "when a friend of mine told me of Bishop Neumann's tomb and the miracles wrought before it. As a last resort I went there, lighted a candle, knelt down and prayed that I be cured. Then I rose and picked up my crutches and stumbled out of the church. But I felt myself growing stronger, and the following day I could walk without support. That was the day before Christmas.

"Now here I have my old crutches. They are no good to me, but perhaps you can find use for them. I am working again."

Bishop Neumann died in 1860. A number of persons have ascribed their cures to prayers at his tomb.

Pope Keeps Own Counsel.

ROME, Jan. 29.—Not even the Cardinals themselves know whom Pius X intends elevating to the dignity of the crimson at the next consistory. In no other way does the Pope display such marvellous capacity for governing as in his ability to keep his intentions solely to himself. In the history of the Vatican official secrets have never been so closely kept as during the present pontificate, a condition that becomes all the more striking when we consider that Pius X. rules the largest court in the world.

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ST. MARY'S PARISH IN ANNUAL REUNION

Members of Lynn Church to Dance in Odd Fellows' Hall To-morrow Night.

A big crowd is expected at the annual reunion and dance of members of St. Mary's Church, Lynn, to-morrow night in Odd Fellows' Hall. The Rt. Rev. Mgr. Arthur J. Teeling will be a central figure at the celebration. The Rev. T. A. Curtin, assistant pastor of the church, is in charge of the affair.

St. Mary's Church was dedicated in 18[illegible] by Arc[illegible] [illegible]

LEADING CATHOLIC SOCIETIES OF BOSTON

NOTED MEMBERS IN EAST BOSTON CLUB

Association Founded Ten Years Ago Has Done Great Good on Noddle Island.

ONE of the most important Catholic organizations of Boston is the East Boston Catholic Literary Association. It was founded about ten years ago by the Rev. John A. McCauley. Father M[illegible] was a curate at the church of the Most Holy Redeemer for twelve years. [illegible]

Many Social Fetes.

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The members are at present rehearsing for the minstrel show, which will be held in [illegible] Hall next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings.

The Committee.

The show committee consists of Joseph H. Pendergast, chairman; Arthur H. Stout, William H. Anderson, Thomas A. Boyce, William F. McSweeney, John J. Ballen[illegible], Fred J. Crowley, John J. Cummings, J. Paul Flan[illegible] [illegible]

Leaders in East Boston Catholic Literary Club

EDMUND C. GEADY. ARTHUR H. STOUT. JEREMIAH J. KELLIHER. HENRY O'NEIL.

CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SOCIETY NOTES

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The Twentieth Century Catholic Club of Brockton has planned a whist social for February 2 in Foresters' Hall. Miss Mary Hickey, chairman of the committee arranging for the affair, reported at this week's meeting that everything is [illegible]. Marian [illegible] farce, "An Open Secret," to be presented by the club on February 7, promises to be one of the most pleasing events of the season. Ten young ladies are to present it and all are members of the club.

The Rev. Fr. J. M. O. Genest of the Church of the Sacred Heart, Brockton, at a large gathering of all the societies of the church this week urged the members to refrain from swearing, but rather to glorify Christ's name by prayer. All of the [illegible] promised to do all in their power to discourage the habit of swearing or using profane language.

The Salem branch of the Companions of the Forest of America established a new record during the past week, when sixty-two new members were initiated. The work was performed by Supreme Recording Secretary Mrs. Julia McCarthy of Revere, Circle Deputy Mrs. Anna McGarrily of Revere and Chief Companion Miss Agnes Dean of Salem.

The St. John's C. T. A. of Peabody entertained the Father Mathews and the Knights of Columbus at a smoker on Tuesday evening. James B. Connolly gave an interesting talk upon his trip around the world with Uncle Sam's warships.

The Essex County Branch of the Catholic Federation of the Archdiocese of Boston will hold its postponed convention in Salem Sunday, February 6.

Division No. 18, A. O. H., of Salem, will hold its annual coffee party and dance in their hall next Thursday evening.

A gift of $5,000 to the church building fund was announced by the Rev. Fr. Bartholomew F.

THE POPE'S CHRISTMAS.

Aged Sisters of Pius X. Among His Most Welcome Visitors.

Christmas passes quietly in the Vatican itself, says the Pittsburg Catholic. The orderly routine of its many activities goes on undisturbed. It is like a small town, with its 11,000 rooms and 208 staircases; its museums, libraries and archives; its gardens, so extensive that the Pope now takes an [illegible] in white velvet, when he wants to make a tour of them. Its park is so hidden in its forest depths that it shelters a villa into which the Pope moves when Summer comes and he [illegible] mountain air.

Outside the Vatican, and near the Porta del Popolo, the Pope's two aged sisters live in an apartment [illegible]. [illegible] in their modest apartment [illegible] their own housework, as they did fifty years ago, when their brother was an unknown student [illegible] guardian who occupies himself chiefly in keeping visitors away. [illegible] practically the dress of peasant women, and all the stately ceremony of the Vatican guards does not affect them. There are two or [illegible] for visitors in the chapel, but no one is admitted to this mass but his sisters and personal friends.

The two sisters bring their gifts to their brother on Christmas night. They come about 7 o'clock, just before he has taken his light supper. Making his handkerchiefs and knitting his socks fill up their leisure hours, and these are sure to be their Christmas gifts to him.

PRIEST BECOMES MAYOR.

Says He Will Make the Town a Model One.

TONTITOWN, Ark., Jan. 29.—Transformed by incorporation from a village to a city, Tontitown starts in for good government by electing the Rev. Father Baldini as its Mayor. The priest has always been Tontitown's chief booster and its moral stay. He was unanimously nominated by all factions at the primaries, and consented to accept the office.

Tontitown was founded by families who took refuge from Southern swamps in Northwestern Arkansas. The Rev. Father Baldini, who has been the subject of numerous magazine articles, says that he will make Tontitown the model municipality of America.

Splendid New School.

DUBUQUE, Ia., Jan. 29.—The German Catholics of this diocese have begun the erection of a $40,000 parochial school in the parish of the Sacred Heart. Later, a church will be erected.

Building Cathedral.

COVINGTON, Ky., Jan. 29.—A grand and imposing Catholic cathedral is rapidly approaching completion in this city. It is expected the exterior and much of the interior will be finished by Easter.

THE SPOT TO BE WATCHED!

A Proceeding Which Should Interest Everybody.

By taking a small part of the skin which is affected with some blemish, such as pimples, rash, blotches, etc., or which is unduly inflamed, itching or chafing, and applying thereto a small quantity of poslam sufficient only to cover the selected surface, an immediate demonstration may be had of the remarkable properties of this new discovery and enough poslam for the purpose will be mailed free of charge to any one, upon request, by the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th street, New York. The spot so treated will be cleared and healed in twenty-four hours.

Poslam puts a stop to itching as soon as applied, and its readiness in healing these small surfaces and minor troubles is but an indication of its rapid action in curing eczema, tetter, scales, etc., on hands, limbs, scalp or any part of the body. As the quantity necessary to use varies with the nature of the trouble, poslam is put up in two sizes, one for 50 cents (for minor uses) and the regular jar at $2. Both are always on sale at all of the Riker-Jaynes drug stores, and Drug Dept., Houghton & Dutton's, and other drug stores.

PLAN CENSORSHIP FOR THE THEATRES

Catholic Societies of St. Louis With Membership of [illegible], Start Movement.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 29.—Catholic societies of this city, with a membership of 7[illegible], have formed an organization for the purpose of perfecting plans to bring about a permanent and proper censorship of theatrical productions. The plan is not [illegible] board of censors [illegible] duty of the executive committee will be the investigation of existing laws designed to maintain the moral tone of the stage by the suppression of [illegible] productions. It will also be necessary to frame additional statutes [illegible] establishment of a censor.

[illegible] are leaders of the movement.

Besides the various religious denominations, among the organizations represented [illegible] Knights of Columbus.

CHILDREN OF THE GAEL
Whose Names Shine in History

TERRENCE BELLEW MacMANUS

"IF an Irish army could have been formed of such men as Terence Bellew MacManus, the result of our efforts would have been very different," said William Smith O'Brien, telling the story of 1848 in Ireland.

"Intrepidity which knew no fear," continues O'Brien, "resolution of purpose, directed by intelligence and accompanied by promptitude of action and by personal prowess, these were the qualities which he displayed during the few days we spent in Tipperary, qualities which, if our struggle had been sustained even for a few months, would have placed the name of MacManus in the catalogue of those warriors whose deeds have given to our country the fame of heroism."

MacManus was arrested for high treason [illegible] 1848. He was tried [illegible] sentenced to death. This sentence was later changed to transportation to the island of Tasmania. He escaped from there in 1851 [illegible]

[illegible] burial in the family lot in Glasnevin Cemetery. The funeral, held in Dublin November 10, 1861, was made the occasion of a great Nationalist demonstration. [illegible] the Irish Republican Brotherhood, or the Fenian movement, as it was more generally called.

That movement grew by leaps and bounds all over Ireland. [illegible] increased in strength until in March, 1867, [illegible] completed its failure. The people were unarmed and unprepared, and then [illegible] priesthood was directed in firm opposition to the attempted revolution.

"Every influence," writes Justin McCarthy, "was hostile to the movement, and the rising was a total failure.

"The snow fell that Spring as it had [illegible] came down all day long and all night long; it covered the roads and fields; it made the gorges of the mountains untenable, and the gorges of the mountains were to be the [illegible]

NEWS of IRISH COUNTY CLUBS

[illegible]

The Kilkenny Men's Association is to be congratulated on the splendid results [illegible]

The Mayo Men's Benevolent Association [illegible]

The Wexford Club [illegible]

The next meeting of the Knights and Ladies of Roscommon will be held in [illegible] Hall on Monday evening, February 28. [illegible]

The Cavan Association [illegible]

The Monaghan Association will hold their regular meeting [illegible]

Secretaries of all clubs should furnish Council Secretary Thomas M. [illegible], No. 37 Chambers street, with a certified list of all delegates, with their addresses, before the next meeting of the Central Council, which occurs Tuesday evening.

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The next meeting of the Clare Men's Association will be held in Vernon Hall, Roxbury, on Sunday afternoon, February 13.

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The County Dublin Association will receive

[illegible]

All former residents of County Armagh now living [illegible]

The Kilkenny Ladies' Auxiliary will hold a social [illegible]

The Tipperary Men's Association will meet in Jefferson Hall [illegible]

The Galway Ladies' Auxiliary are now meeting at [illegible] Hall, Washington street, Roxbury. [illegible]

The Knights and Ladies of Tara, County Meath Association, will hold [illegible]

BIG CHORUS TO APPEAR.

Cathedral Young Men's Association Giving Annual Party.

A chorus of seventy voices under the direction of Organist James T. Whelan of the Cathedral of the Holy Cross, will be a feature of the entertainment to be given to-morrow night at the annual party of the Cathedral Young Men's Association, in Paul Revere Hall. The concert program has been carefully prepared by the committee. The clergy attached to the cathedral have signified their intention of being present. The regular cathedral choir will render several selections. Miss Ellen McLaughlin will be soprano, Mrs. Christian Gobraith, contralto, Signor Theo de La[illegible], tenor, Dr. Francis X. Mahoney, bass, and Daniel Murphy, baritone.

M. C. O. F. NOTES

[illegible]

Thomas F. Baugh, D. H. C. R., assisted by [illegible]

Mrs. Catherine Grady, D. H. C. R., assisted by [illegible]

Elizabeth F. Crane, D. H. C. R., assisted by [illegible]

John J. Lynch and suite will instal the officers of St. Francis court at Tremont Hall, Roxbury, Wednesday evening. Cornelius M. Duggan, H. V. [illegible]

A new court of the order to be known as the John J. Leonard court will be instituted at Spring [illegible] Sunday, F[illegible]

[illegible] court of Malden and St. Rita court of [illegible] will each hold initiations next Thursday evening.

WILL LECTURE ON THE PASSION PLAY

To meet the general demand for tickets for the lecture on the Passion Play to be given in Boston College Hall by Father Gasson, S. J., on Sunday evening, February 13, a central ticket office has been established at St. Rose Hall, No. 17 Worcester street. The lecture is given under the auspices of Court Erin, M. C. O. F., for the benefit of the Boston College building fund.

The lecture will be illustrated by views entirely new [illegible] of the great drama will undoubtedly [illegible] of the [illegible]

PASTOR GIVES WELCOME.

Catholic Federated Societies Meet in Somerville To-day.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the quarterly convention of Middlesex County branch of [illegible] Catholic Societies [illegible] Joseph's [illegible] Somerville. The convention will be followed by a mass meeting open to the public. The speakers will be Rev. Ambrose F. Roche, pastor of St. Patrick's Church, Watertown, and county chaplain of the branch; P. Sarsfield [illegible], Dr. Thomas Meagan, Charles I. Da[illegible], [illegible] secretary of the Archdiocesan Federation, and Mrs. Katherine E. [illegible], president of the ladies auxiliary of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. An address of welcome will be delivered by [illegible] M'Grath. The pastors of the two [illegible] of Somerville, Rev. James J. [illegible] of St. Catherine's and Rev. Francis J. Butler of St. Ann's, are expected to be present.

Order Raises Large Sum.

LONDON, Jan. 24.—A bond issue of $1,500,000 at 5 per cent is being floated here by the Benedictines of Brazil upon all their property in that country, which is valued at three [illegible] dollars.

LATE HOURS PUNISH THE FAT FOLKS.

It is the wisdom of ancient days that the fatter you become the quicker you weary. One sits out more dances than formerly, the flesh grows weaker after 1:30 a. m., in exact ratio to the lengthening of the waist measure. Fat is robbing you of fun, just at a time when you have the leisure and the cash for it.

You may relieve that fatty overplus, and so revive your flagging energies, if you will, in the simplest way. You can take off a pound of it a day, if you wish, without causing weakness, or wrinkles, or calling upon exercising or dieting for help. For years fashionable fat people have been using the famous Marmola prescription, ½ oz. Marmola, ½ oz. Fl. Ext. Cascara Aromatic, 3½ oz. Peppermint Water. Now these same proportions have been combined, most elegantly, in a tablet, the Marmola Prescription Tablet.

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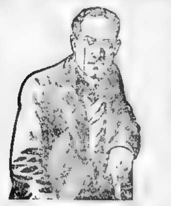

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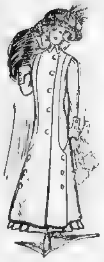

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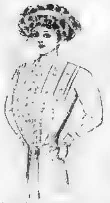
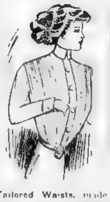


White Lawn [illegible] Waists [illegible] button [illegible] Formerly [illegible] Marked Down to **49c**

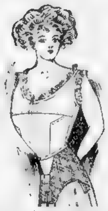


Tailored Waists, made [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] cuff and collar Waists $1 [illegible] Marked Down to **79c**

Pure Linen Tailored Waists, with [illegible] lar and [illegible] with [illegible] dainty [illegible] [illegible] Lawn W[illegible] sleeves [illegible] made, For[illegible] and $2 [illegible] each Marked Down to **1.50**

New Long Kimonos, in Persian patterns, well made and finished with [illegible] edges [illegible] Formerly [illegible] Marked Down to **39c**

W. B. Corsets, [illegible] [illegible] supporters [illegible] sizes 18 to [illegible] [illegible] Corsets [illegible] $1.00 Marked Down to **1.25**



Women's Bust Supporters, made of good quality [illegible] trimmed at [illegible] and [illegible] sizes [illegible] 34 to 44 [illegible] Marked Down to **25c**

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Children's White Bearcloth Coats, in sizes [illegible] years, interlined, finished with [illegible] [illegible] Coats formerly 2.00 each

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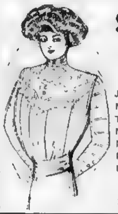

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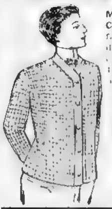

Men's Oxford Gray Coat Sweaters, well fashioned and with double button and cuffs. All sizes 34 to 44. Sweaters formerly 59c each.

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Knit Toques and Tams [illegible] stock and Marked down to, each. **12½c**

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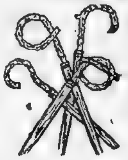

Strong Mercerized Covered Umbrellas, for men, women and [illegible] [illegible] the regular way 75c [illegible]

Marked Down to **39c**

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Men's Fancy Silk Four-in-Hand Ties [illegible] All up-to-date [illegible] 25c to 50c each

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Enameled Sauce Pans and Kettles, all first quality, [illegible] in 4 quart sizes [illegible] former price Marked Down to **10c**

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Women's Boots, taken from our stock of $2.50 and $3.00 grades, gun metal or patent leather, button [illegible] with [illegible] [illegible] button or lace, also Vici kid button with patent tips and [illegible] top. Marked down to, pair,

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Women's Juliets

Women's Rubber Heel Juliets or Nurses' Comforts, [illegible] skin finished soles, soft and comfortable; sizes up to 8. Former price $1.25 pair. Marked down to **69c**

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Men's Gray Mixed Cotton Hose, seamless, warranted fast color, [illegible] with white heels and toes, all sizes in the lot, and hosiery formerly 10c pair .... Marked Down to **4c**

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Dress Lawn, full 28 inches wide, variety of patterns in figures and stripes on light or dark grounds. Marked Down to **5c**

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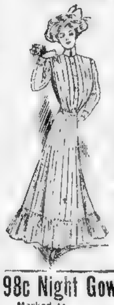

Maids' Dresses in the 2-piece model (light and dark effects), full tucked waist, skirt has deep flounce. Dresses formerly priced at 1.00 each. Now

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Marked to

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Marked to

Corset Covers made with deep yoke of several rows of lace insertion, beading and ribbon. Covers formerly 25c each

Marked Down to

19c

Cotton Drawers 25c

Marked to

Women's Cotton Drawers made with ruffle of embroidery with five fine tucks above.

Marked Down to

25c

79c Petticoats 59c

Marked to

White Petticoats with deep 16½ in. wide flare ruffle, finished with three clusters of tucks and a one inch hemstitched hem, also some embroidery trimmed. Formerly 79c each. Marked Down to **59c**

Boston American
Society News
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IMPORTANT AFFAIRS CROWD CALENDAR OF WEEK FOR SMART SET

Second Cinderella Subscription Dance, Mrs. Lassell's Masquerade, Last Assembly and Harvard Union Annual Ball Some of Features.

SOCIETY is enjoying to the full its last gasp of gayety for the season and going its swiftest pace.

Among the larger events which remain on the calendar are the second of the Cinderella subscription dances, Tuesday evening, at the Somerset; Mrs. Lassell's masquerade dance on Wednesday evening, at her home, on Exeter street; the second and last assembly on Friday night, at the Somerset; Mrs. Frederick Cunningham's house dance, on the night of February; the second and last of the Somerset subscription dances, on the 8th, and the annual dance at the Harvard Union, the date for which has not been definitely decided.

The Cinderella dance Tuesday night will be one of the largest and most enjoyable of the week's affairs. The patronesses for these smart functions are Mrs. Oliver Ames, Mrs. Rudolph L. Agassiz, Mrs. Gordon Abbott, Mrs. Boylston Beal, Mrs. Edward D. Brandegee, Mrs. John T. Linzee and Mrs. Richard D. Sears. There are few dances throughout the season which are so enjoyable as this, and few so well attended.

The last assembly which officially brings the season to a close takes place Friday night at the Somerset. It's the largest, most fashionable and most exclusive of the remaining pre-Lenten gayeties. Mrs. Nathaniel Thayer and Barrett Wendell, Jr., whose engagement has just been announced to Barbara Higginson, will lead the cotillion. The patronesses are:

Mrs. Gordon Abbott,	Mrs. Henry D. Burnham,	Mrs. Henry Parkman,
Mrs. Rudolph Agassiz,	Mrs. Wm. Endicott, Jr.,	Mrs. Winthrop Sargent,
Mrs. Bryce J. Allan,	Mrs. Francis Lee Higginson,	Mrs. Philip S. Sears,
Mrs. Oliver Ames, 2d,	Mrs. Robert Homans,	Mrs. John E. Thayer,
Mrs. Francis I. Amory,	Mrs. Henry S. Hunnewell,	Mrs. Barrett Wendell,
Mrs. William Appleton,	Mrs. J. Grafton Minot,	Mrs. T. Lindall Winthrop
Mrs. Edward Brandegee,		

BUSY CUPID BRINGS SOCIETY HURRYING TO MARRIAGE ALTAR

AS weddings in Lent are considered anything but fashionable, most of those events must of necessity take place before Ash Wednesday, so our calendar is filled with dates for ultra smart nuptials.

Quite the largest and most important will be that at Emmanuel Church Wednesday, when Miss Priscilla Harding, a well known member of the Vincent Club and one of the most popular belles of our ultra-exclusive set, weds James Sherrard of London.

Miss Harding went abroad with her mother in the early Spring, but became so enamoured of life on the other side and especially life in England that instead of returning with her mother in the Fall she took an estate in [illegible] in order to enjoy the hunting season there. It was from London that the announcement came of the engagement.

The young couple met two years ago in India while the prospective groom, who is a member of the Royal Field Artillery, was on duty there. Miss Harding has just returned from London, bringing with her a most elaborate trousseau. The only regret her many friends feel at her marriage is the fact that she will leave Boston and make her future home in London, joining the delightful little colony of young American brides already there, which includes Mrs. F. L. Higginson, Jr. (Hetty Sargent), Miss Priscilla Stackpole, who recently married Mr. Harding, and Priscilla Stackpole, who married Mr. Chapin a couple of weeks ago.

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Being so well known here the wedding of that popular young clubman, James Watson Webb of New York, who gave his farewell bachelor dinner at Delmonico's last night, and Miss Electra Havemeyer, is of course interesting to our fashionables, many of whom will go over for the occasion. The wedding takes place in St. Bartholomew's Church February 8. Among the men whom Mr. Webb entertained at dinner last night were his brother, W. Seward Webb, Jr., who is to be his best man, and Vanderbilt Webb, another brother; Ernest S. Tracy, Gordon Abbott of Boston, Howard Roomes, George Whitney, Joseph W. Burden, Robert L. Bacon and James J. Higginson, Jr., who are to serve as ushers. Miss Havemeyer entertained her attendants last night also at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. O. Havemeyer, at 1 East Sixty-sixth street. Her guests included her sister, Mrs. Peter H. B. Frelinghuysen, who is to be her matron of honor; her cousin, Miss Louise Jackson, who will be her maid of honor, and her bridesmaids, Anita Peabody, Miss Ethel Cowdin, Miss Katherine Atterbury and Miss Margaret Dix.

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Another New York wedding of considerable interest to Boston was that on Wednesday of Miss Blanche May Oelrichs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Oelrichs, to Leonard M. Thomas of Philadelphia. Owing to the difference of religious belief there was a house ceremony, Mgr. Lavelle, of St. Patrick's Cathedral, officiating, assisted by Dr. William J. Sinnott and the Rev. Mr Bryne. Four acolytes added to the impressiveness of the ceremony.

The drawing room was transformed into a chapel, with a temporary altar at one end. This was banked with lilies, and on it were placed gilt candelabra filled with lighted candles. The floral decorations arranged by Thorley were beautiful. From the centre of the ceiling depended streamers of smilax intertwined with pink roses. On the walls were loose clusters of white roses and the mantels were banked with lilies. An aisle was formed by long white ribbons held by the ushers, and through this the bride walked from the library with her father.

She wore a gown of white chiffon embroidered with a design of roses, and from the shoulders fell a long court train of white satin embroidered in roses. She wore a tulle veil and carried a bouquet of white orchids and gardenias. Her only ornament was a riviere of diamonds, a gift of the bridegroom.

Little Cathleen Vanderbilt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt, wearing a gown of white and pale blue chiffon and a hat to correspond, trimmed with pink roses, and Master Charles May Oelrichs Martin, nephew of the bride, wearing an Eton suit, were the train bearers.

The bride's only attendant was Miss Cecilia May, her cousin, who wore a gown of pale rose colored chiffon and satin, with hat to correspond. She carried a cluster of pink roses.

Mr William S. Hitt acted as best man. The ushers were Messrs. Charles de L. and Harry Oelrichs, brothers of the bride, James W. Barney, T. Markoe Robertson, William Post, Adolph Borie, W. O'Donnell Iselin and Joseph Patterson.

Among the relatives and friends who witnessed the ceremony were Colonel and Mrs. William Jay, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Iselin, Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, Mr. Hermann Oelrichs, Mrs. Charles De L. Oelrichs, Mr. and Mrs. Peter D. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. McRae Livingston, Mr. Robert L. Livingston, Mr. and Mrs. E. Clarkson Potter, Miss Potter, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore A. Havemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry O. Havemeyer, Mrs. Frederic Neilson and Miss Maria de Barril.

Captain Cameron McR. Winslow, United States Navy, and Mrs. Winslow, Mr. and Mrs. Henry May, Miss Isabella May, Mr. Gerald May, Mrs. C. May Wright, Mrs. Richard Irvin, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald C. Vanderbilt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Childs, Mrs. George C. Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. George C. Thomas, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Thomas, Mrs. S. Thomas Remington, Mr. and Mrs. James D. Rowland, Mrs. Adolph Borie, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Biddle, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Cooke, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Henry, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKean, Mr. and Mrs. James Potter and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Rowland.

After the ceremony more friends went to the reception and the wedding breakfast which was served by Delmonico in the apartment adjoining that of Mr. and Mrs. Oelrichs. The walls of the rooms in which the breakfast was served were completely covered with elegant tapestries and there was also a graceful arrangement of palms, ferns and Killarney roses, clusters of these flowers being placed on each table.

Among those invited for the reception and breakfast were Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, Jr., Mrs. James P. Kernochan, Mrs. William Post, Mrs. Lorry, Mr. and Mrs. Livingston Beeckman, Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Berwind, Mr. Davis Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Drexel, Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Z. Gray, Mr. August Belmont, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wysong, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Widener, Mrs. Frederick Pearson, the Misses Pearson, Mrs. Charles H. Coster, Mr. Harry S. Black, Dr. Knapp, Mr. Henry F. Eldridge, Judge and Mrs. John Clinton Gray, Mrs. Joseph Stickney, Mrs. Gouverneur Kortright, Mr. and Mrs. Amos T. French, Mr. and Mrs. Bradish Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph G. Willis.

Also Misses Anna Street, Emily Sloane, Marjorie Gould, Laura Emmet, Constance Warren, Jane Wallach, Frances Alexandre, Edna Biddle, Virginia Alexandre, Katherine Green, Rose Grosvenor, Mabel Gerry, Marie L. Logan, Eleanor Roelker, Helen Coster, Charlotte Pell, Messrs. Willing Spencer, Dennie Hare, Robert W. Goelet, William R. Hunter, J. Henry Alexandre, Jr., and W. Hude Neilson.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas left for a Southern trip. They will pass next Summer in Newport, where Mr. Thomas has leased a villa. The bride's going away gown was of black velvet and she wore a hat to correspond.

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An interesting wedding which took place in New Haven Wednesday was that of Miss Dorothy Brinley Morgan of that city and John Lorimer Hall of Boston, a well-known member of the Tennis and Racquet, Country and Oakley clubs.

The ceremony took place at noon and was performed in the chapel of Christ Episcopal Church by the rector, Rev. Frederick H. Burgess, assisted by Rev. T. L. Davies. The bride's father, Rev. G. Brinley Morgan, was formerly rector of the church. He was killed by an automobile several months ago. The bride is a [illegible] of J. Pierpont Morgan and of [illegible] Vanderbilt. As she is in mourning only the immediate relatives of both families were present. A wedding breakfast at the Morgan residence on York street followed the ceremony.

Miss Morgan was attended only by her sister, Miss Emily Morgan, and Mr. Hall was attended by Mr. Irving Garfield of Boston, as best man. The ushers were Mr. Denison Morgan of this city, brother of the bride, and Mr. Edward M. Day of Hartford, a Yale classmate of the bridegroom. The bridegroom is the son of the late John M. Hall, who was president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad. He is practicing law in Boston. Among the guests who were present were Mr. Hall's mother, Mrs. John M. Hall, and his sister, Miss Florence Hall of Boston, and Mrs. John E. Owsley, who came with her husband, the former Yale football head coach, from Seattle to be present.

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A very pretty wedding of much interest took place Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hogan of Adams street, Dorchester, when their eldest daughter, Mary Elizabeth, became the bride of Mr. Michael Maynes of Boston. Miss Hogan, who is tall and of the brunette type, made a charming bride, in a flowing gown of imported silk embroidered lace, over white duchess satin en train, enveloped in a long tulle veil fastened to the coiffure with a sunburst of diamonds, the gift of the groom, and a corsage bouquet of lilies of the valley. Her only attendant was her [illegible], Mrs. Maurice [illegible], who was matron of honor, and who looked exceedingly girlish and pretty in a gown of apricot satin. Her corsage bouquet was of pink Killarney roses.

M. J. Jordan, a prominent Boston lawyer, was the bridegroom's best man. After an extended trip through the South Mr. and Mrs. Maynes will make their home at the Somerset until their new house is ready for occupancy.

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Added to the list of weddings for the near future is that of Miss Barbara Higginson and Barrett Wendell, Jr. The engagement was announced the past week, and rumor has it that the wedding is to follow shortly—in all probability taking place at Easter time. Miss Higginson is the third daughter of Francis L. Higginson, who, after the death of his first wife, married that charming young woman, Corinne Shattuck, who is but little older than the two daughters [illegible] and Juliet. Mrs. Philip S. Sears (Mary Higginson) is an older sister of the bride-to-be, and Francis L. Higginson, Jr., who married Hetty Sargent, and now resides in London, is a brother. Major Henry L. Higginson is an uncle and Mrs. S. Parkman Blake is an aunt. Miss Higginson made her debut some four or five years ago, and is a leader in the exclusive Vincent Club and in the smartest coterie of young girls in town. She is tall and slender, with pretty chataigne coloring and an abundance of enthusiasm and vivacity. Mr. Wendell, who is rapidly replacing that popular young clubman, S. Hooper-Hooper, as a cotillon leader, is the son of Professor and Mrs. Barrett Wendell of Marlboro street, and is prominently identified with all the most exclusive clubs in town, [illegible] Tennis and Racquet and the Country. He is a Harvard '0[illegible] man and a member of the Assembly Committee, which is considered quite an honor [illegible]. Mr. Wendell [illegible] to lead the cotillon at the [illegible] Assembly, which takes place on February 4.

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[illegible] marriage of Dr. [illegible] Beacon street [illegible] of Moncton, N. B. [illegible] took place Moncton Tuesday. Dr. and Mrs. [illegible] be at home after April [illegible] road, Somerville.

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An interesting wedding yesterday was that in Worcester of the popular [illegible] society belle, Miss Margaret Elizabeth Thayer of that city, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Thayer, to Dr. William Carter Quimby of this city. The ceremony was a quiet one and was solemnized at noon at the Thayer residence on Cambridge street. A large breakfast followed at which many well-known Bostonians were present. Upon returning from the honeymoon the young couple will reside at No. 360 Marlboro street, where the delightful young matron will no doubt give some delightful hospitalities.

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A decidedly interesting wedding [illegible] which Boston is looking forward is that of pretty Dorothea Davenport, who is to wed William T. Aldrich, son of Senator Aldrich. Miss Davenport, who was a recent debutante, is one of the most charming girls in the younger set, and during her coming-out season was quite the most feted girl in town. She is decidedly pretty, dresses [illegible] and has a delightful [illegible].

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Among other weddings of the near future is that of Miss Alice Frances Hubbard, daughter of Mrs. William Hammond Hubbard of Chicago, to R[illegible] Whitney Means of this city. Miss Hubbard [illegible] has visited in Boston and has [illegible] quite a favorite with our younger set. [illegible] The daughter of the late William Hammond Hubbard, Harvard '[illegible]9, and a [illegible] of James M. Hubbard and Charles [illegible] [illegible] of Boston. Mr. Means, who is a Harvard man, is the son of Mrs. Arthur [illegible], [illegible] Commonwealth avenue. Mrs. [illegible] was formerly Mrs. Robert [illegible] Means. W[illegible] Gordon Means, who married Marjory Rice of New York, is an older brother, and his sisters are the Misses Claire, Anne and Jessie Means.

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Miss [illegible], one of the most [illegible] of the Vincent Club [illegible] the Boston bridesmaid at the wedding in New York on February 8 of Miss Mary [illegible] [illegible] to be celebrated at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. [illegible].

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Miss Louise Andrews, who has been entertaining Miss Lydia Valentine Bond of Baltimore at her home here, has recently gone to Baltimore with her guest and is to spend some time with Miss Bond at her home on Cathedral street. Soon after her arrival Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Bond gave a dinner in her honor. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Bond also entertained at dinner for her a few days later. Miss Andrews was one of the Bostonians who attended the german at the the Junior Cotillion Club and on Tuesday Miss Jean Perkins of Baltimore gave a tea in her honor at the Baltimore Country Club, inviting a large number of guests to meet her.

A NOTED BOSTON WOMAN COMPOSER

Mrs. Anna Connable Meeks is well known in this city, as well as in Europe, where a number of her song compositions have been well received. Though Mrs. Meeks is a native of Ohio she received her musical training in Boston and made her home here for many years. Just now she is devoting her time to her charming sixteen-year-old daughter.

EVERY MOMENT OF BRIEF PERIOD BEFORE LENT TO BE FILLED WITH GAYETY

Debutantes Graduate Into the Older Set and More Serious Social Plans Reach Fruition, While Boston Belles Make Sartorial Hits at Resorts in the Far Southland, Away from the Winter Blasts.

By ELIZABETH ELLIOTT.

SUFFICIENT unto the day is the pleasure thereof, a paraphrase that would best indicate the serene mood in which society [illegible] pending Lent.

Every hour of every day is full to glorious overflowing with brilliantly joyful events and golden indeed are the days [illegible].

The [illegible] Palm Beach [illegible] is putting itself on the back, for snow and storm in the North have made Southern joys twice as alluring. On the authority of a woman who has just returned from there—and a woman is the best judge of her own sex—the beauty show this season is extraordinary and the Boston girl who learned so well [illegible] the art of [illegible] advent of Grand Opera in our midst is playing no inconspicuous role.

But affairs at home, the holly and mistletoe of Christmas come so close, this year, to being blended with the sackcloth and ashes of Lent that the season seemed pitifully short and in order to crowd all the smart affairs into so [illegible] a space of [illegible].

After the blossoming time when the buds make their bow and bloom forth into beledom after the month of December which those fair damsels monopolize, then the older and more noted [illegible] place their dates on the social calendar for dinners at which dignity and poise, ability to discuss art, woman suffrage and finance [illegible] so fortunate as to be included in these grown up affairs [illegible] as well as played, and that, true to her Boston bringing [illegible] much time to matters of intellect as well as to athletics. [illegible] speaks eloquently for our [illegible] world and reflects the [illegible] Boston. Here the social and the sociologic are side by side. [illegible] members are in a happy [illegible] over their forthcoming [illegible] to be given at Jordan Hall after Easter and the club officers are [illegible] the assignment of [illegible] for rehearsals. [illegible]

[illegible] always impressed with the sincerity of our women, who [illegible] weightiest problems with seriousness and decision, but the Vincent [illegible] illustrates all the lighter [illegible] life. Until the [illegible] there will, of course, be social conquests and heart-breaks, jealousies [illegible]. Not to be invited to join that exclusive organization [illegible] intment of many [illegible] young life, whose [illegible] may in their day be among the crowned heads of society. But [illegible] debutante of to-day finds little joy or comfort in the prospect of what [illegible].

The entertainment the club gives each year is of course for charity, though on account of their heart burnings it gives some of the sweet little buds, old fashioned and altruistic persons might consider it not exactly [illegible] that walks with Faith and Hope. As proof of its exclusiveness [illegible] to look over the list of debutantes of the year and then [illegible] list of those who have been invited to join, which reads: Miss Ruth Elliot, Miss [illegible], Miss Anne Nesmith, Miss Margery Prescott, Miss Mary Parkman, Miss Katherine Pathrop, Miss Katherine Saltonstall, Miss Katherine Ames, Miss Marian Weld and Miss Constance Zerrahn, that [illegible] plethora of buds!

The coming week—the last full one before Ash Wednesday—is of necessity a decidedly over-crowded one, and conflicting dates reign rampant, to such an extent that many a fair young matron has declared her intention of throwing it all aside as hopeless and making her way to some foreign land to [illegible] her Lenten period quiet.

The lure of the South and the Southern climes and Winter pastimes of [illegible] continues to make its persistent and compelling demands, and a larger number than usual have heeded the call this week. The Mecca of the fashionable may be Virginia, Florida, [illegible] or it may be Egypt and the [illegible] Italy and the Riviera, but at any [illegible] South, away from the penetrating [illegible] east winds, the snow and blow, the ice and thaw to which the Hub is all too frequently [illegible] at this season of the [illegible].

Quincy Shaw, Seconds, Go to Sunny South.

Mr. and Mrs. Quincy A. Shaw, 2d., have [illegible] have joined Mrs. Shaw [illegible] Andrew Carnegie, 2d., [illegible]. They have [illegible] at Palm Beach [illegible] have taken [illegible] week or more [illegible] the remainder [illegible] returning here in time [illegible] attractive cottage [illegible] Beverly Farms which they closed just before starting for the South.

Miss [illegible] Hooper, a daughter of the late Edward W. Hooper, is in Paris, [illegible] remain until the first of [illegible] stopping at No. [illegible]. Miss Hooper [illegible] Boston members of the Col[illegible] New York.

Miss Barbara Bolles, who has made her [illegible] this Winter, [illegible] bringing her [illegible] with a delightful [illegible] been one of the [illegible] so many affairs have [illegible] that her season [illegible], and she is [illegible] of a change at this time. [illegible] Mrs. Bolles, Miss Dorothy and Miss [illegible] Bolles are all going over together [illegible] they are not sailing before the [illegible]. They will travel several [illegible] spending most of their time [illegible] Europe, and in the Summer will return to America and will spend the Summer [illegible] at their attractive country home [illegible].

Winston Churchills In Land of Pyramids.

Miss Lulu G. Adams of Brookline, who went abroad early last Summer on the steamer with Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt and Miss Ethel Roosevelt, is spending part of the Winter in Munich. Miss Adams has recently been in France for some months and will go to Italy later, having arranged to spend the Springtime there. In the early Summer she will start for Norway and Sweden and will spend the warm weather in travel and residence in those countries. She expects to be joined by her mother when she starts for the trip to Scandanavia.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Churchill have recently been heard from in Cairo, Egypt, where they were stopping preparatory to making a trip up the Nile. During the [illegible] of Mr. and Mrs. Churchill their children are at the home of the Misses [illegible] of Dedham, where their aunt is caring for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Norman and Miss Hope Norman have sailed this past week for a trip around the world. Mrs. Norman and her daughter made a long visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Allan at their home here previous to their departure for Europe. The Normans have been making their home in Washington since they sold their town house here.

SMART SET GETS READY FOR GAY SPRING SEASON

Many Comings and Goings in Preparation for the Changes that Will Be Made Necessary by the Passing of Winter.

IN SPR[illegible] is on [illegible] already in mind and in many instances well under way, the social unit is far from complete and society is still adjusting itself and changing its ubiquitous whereabouts.

Bostonians who spent their Summers at Beverly, or at any of the North Shore country places, are interested in the general renovations that are to be made in the near future on [illegible] White House [illegible] who own [illegible] make [illegible] the [illegible] and the [illegible] have their completed before [illegible]. Among other improvements will be the building of a great [illegible] and a fernery [illegible] President and the members of his family were so delighted with Beverly as a Summer place that when they left the place late last Autumn, they declared that they must have a longer season this year, and would plan to arrive early and stay late.

Miss Alice Sargent of Holm Lea in Brookline [illegible] from the [illegible] cently [illegible] drew [illegible] have [illegible] thave [illegible] ing over for the w[illegible] brother, Ricardo de [illegible] del Zaldo [illegible] siderably [illegible] sister of Mr [illegible] who is perhaps [illegible] other woman in New Y[illegible]

Herbert Jaq[illegible] dent of the [illegible] is pre[illegible] to the [illegible] and the [illegible] nized as one of [illegible] sports in the wo[illegible] elected at [illegible] in New Y[illegible] bert W[illegible] Washin[illegible] were g[illegible]

Mrs Hall McAlister and her family are to make their home for the remainder of the se[illegible] in law [illegible] No. 210 Beacon street [illegible] ranged one. Mr H[illegible] and his daughter are on the [illegible] having planned to spend the next few months in travel and residence abroad.

Mrs Robert F [illegible] (Susan Day Kimball) the recent purchaser of the valuable Floyd estate on Canton avenue in Milton, where she will probably make her home after completing some remodeling and improvements, [illegible] consisting of a mansion house and stable on fourteen acres of land on the slope of the great Blue Hill.

The Misses Loring have at last closed their Prides Crossing Summer residence, which they are in degrees [illegible] the-year-round home, and are in town, probably for the remainder of the Winter. They are at present visiting some of their relatives here.

Mr and Mrs Granton H Dowse (Juliet Huntress), whose marriage took place in Lowell last Autumn at the home of the bride's parents, have taken an apartment on Beacon street and have planned to spend the remainder of the Winter here.

Mrs. William L. Shearer and her daughter of Bay State road are taking an extensive trip through the West. On their return they are to go South, where they will remain until late in the spring.

Mr. and Mrs John Alexander Hammond (Annie Hill), who were married last month have returned from their wedding trip and are making their home in West Medford, where they are receiving their friends.

[illegible] NY furniture for the occasion. The cast [illegible]

[illegible] Louis Al[illegible]

The list of [illegible] dresses [illegible] of the [illegible] of some of [illegible]

Mrs. Edward B. Hill
Mrs. John Ward Howe
Mrs. Eliot Hubbard
Mrs. Eben D. Jordan
Mrs. Charles A. Kidder
Mrs. David P. Kimball
Mrs. Maynard Ladd
Mrs. B. J. Lang
Mrs. George B. Leighton
Mrs. Fiske Warren
Mrs. Barrett Wendell
Mrs. Edmund M. Wheelwright
Mrs. [illegible] M. Whitman
Mrs. G. Herbert Windeler
Mrs. Roger Wolcott
Mrs. John Woodbury
Mrs. Franz Zerrahn

Coquelin Performance Is Most Successful.

SOCIETY has come even nearer than usual this week to running the gamut of the social calendar, and the fashionable entertainments planned for by the smart set have been many and various, ranging from music and drama, lectures and talks, exhibitions and bridge whist parties to house parties, luncheons, dinners, teas and receptions.

One of the most interesting affairs was the Coquelin benefit performance of the drama, "Le Depute de Bombignac," a three-act comedy, which was given in Jordan Hall on Tuesday evening. The play was given in the interest of the Coquelin

Fair at Somerset To Attract Many.

ONE of the largest of Lenten's charitable affairs will be the fair to be held at the Somerset on Friday, February 11, from 10 until 6, in aid of the Industrial School for Crippled and Deformed Children. All the fashionables will be on hand to help out the worthy cause and have volunteered as their services as sales ladies, bundle girls and waitresses. On the first day luncheon is to be served from 1 until 2 and tea from 3 until 6. A novel grab has been devised to amuse the children, and the various tables will be filled with all kinds of desirable articles.

One of the important house dances of the Winter will be that which Mr and Mrs. Frederick Cunningham of Longwood are giving in honor of their attractive debutante daughter, Miss Susannah Cunningham on the evening of February 7. Miss Cunningham is a member of the exclusive Sewing Circle, which organization she recently entertained at luncheon at her home. She has perhaps been the most popular bud of the season and has had any number of smart hospitalities given in her honor.

Colonel and Mrs. Everett C. Benton held a [illegible] formal reception at their [illegible] road, Belmont, Monday evening when they celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. In response to the invitations sent out about twelve hundred guests came to offer congratulations. The beautiful mansion lends itself admirably to entertainments of that sort, and on that occasion was thronged with beautifully gowned fashionables. Mr and Mrs. Benton received in the large parlor, which was handsomely decorated with palms, smilax and masses of flowers. So many were present that the corps of ushers, consisting of Jay B. and Charles E. Benton, Jay B. Benton, George M. Rogers, brother of Mrs. Benton; Alfred P. Rogers, Walter S. Gerrach, Nelson Seelye, William Burns, W. [illegible] Rand Manning Morrill, John A. Curtis, Pal[illegible] Oscar Greeley, Ernest Blake, Fred F. Poor, Gustavus B. Holt, F. B. Fletcher, H. A. Kneeland and Morton Smith, had no easy task in presenting them to Colonel and Mrs. Benton.

In addition to those who personally congratulated Mr and Mrs. Benton, many other friends unable to be present were heard from by letter or other means expressing their good wishes and many presents were received, as well, despite the injunction to friends to refrain from sending any anniversary gifts. The members of St. Bernard Commandery, Knights Templars, of which Colonel Benton is past commander, presented a butterfly clock, a reproduction of the original butterfly clock brought from England one hundred and fifty years ago. The presentation was made by Richard W. Smith, commander of St. Bernard Commandery. This was a complete surprise to Colonel Benton, but he responded to the brief address of Commander Smith and expressed the appreciation of [illegible] Mrs. Benton.

Colonel and Mrs. Benton were married in Somerville, in 1885, by the Rev. [illegible] Hill Bingham, and since that time have always resided in Belmont. Mrs. Benton was [illegible] daughter of Mr. and M[illegible] Rogers of Moncton, N. B. There were seven children, six of whom are now alive.

Among the social affairs of the week was the reception and tea given Friday afternoon from 4 until 7 o'clock by Mrs. Elwood Worcester, wife of the Rev. Elwood Worcester, Rector of Emmanuel [illegible] at her home on Marl[illegible]. Assisting Mrs. Worcester was Mrs. S[illegible] McComb, wife of Dr. McComb, assistant rector of the same parish.

Bridge Tournament A Popular Success.

THE bridge tournament and candy and flower sale at the Somerset on Monday was one of the most popular attractions of the week. It was held in the large ball room in the afternoon, and was in the interest of the Boston Children's Aid Society. The sale was from 2 until 6 o'clock, while the bridge playing began at 3. Miss Rosamond Fay was in charge of the candy sale, and and assisting her Miss Mary Lay, Miss Hester Lawrence and Miss Mary [illegible] Amory. Miss Alice Bell presided over the flower stall and had as her assistants Miss Nora Thayer, Miss Katherine Warren and Miss Christine Hunnewell. Miss Dorothy Forbes was in charge of the bridge, and tables and seats were obtained from her. Miss Forbes is one of the directors of the society, the other members of the board being Horatio Lamb, Robert Treat Paine, Theophilus Parsons, Marcus Morton, Mrs. F. Lothrop Ames, Mrs. Walter C. Cabot, Mrs. J. H. Hecht, Mrs. I. Tucker Burr, Mrs. Charles Hopkinson, Mrs. R. M. Saltonstall, Miss Helen Cheever, Miss Margaret Elder, Miss Mary L. Hale, Miss Anna Jackson, Miss Fanny Mason, Miss Georgiana Paine, Miss Helen Paine, Miss Annette Rogers, Miss Mary Rogers, Dr. John Bapst Blake, Walter Hunnewell, Jr., Robert Treat Paine, 2d, Henry G. Pickering, Henry L. Shattuck, Pierpont L. Stackpole, Robert B. Stone, Eliot Wadsworth, William H. White and Sidney Williams. At the card tables were Mrs. William Ames, in a becoming costume of brown velvet and a brown hat with turquoise feathers, Mrs. Richard Saltonstall, Mrs. Lowell, Mrs. R. G. Shaw, Mrs. Richard Sears, Mrs. H. A. Lamb, Mrs. George Leighton, Mrs. Thatcher Loring, Miss Julia Little, Miss Rosamond Allen, Mrs. Oliver Ames, Mrs. Philip Baxter, Miss Sturgis, Mrs. F. S. Whitwell, Miss Lillian Dunaresq, Mrs. Rufus L. Sewall, Miss Frankenstein, Mrs. Mark Hollingsworth, Mrs. Oscar Iasigi, Mrs. Huntington Wolcott, Mrs. Joseph Bradley, Mrs. Robert Homans, Mrs. George Warren and Mrs. Arthur Hunnewell.

"Imagery in Music" was the subject of an interesting lecture given at the Tuileries on Commonwealth avenue on Friday morning which had a select patronage and was well attended by the smart set. The lecture was given by Mrs. Kate Thecla Couey, A. M., who was assisted by artists from the Boston Symphony Orchestra. The patronesses for the lecture were the following well-known women: Mrs. Larz Anderson, Mrs. John Bapst Blake, Mrs. John A. Curtis, Miss Elizabeth Curtis, Mrs. John W. Corcoran, Miss Helen Archibald Clarke, Miss Emma Cary, Mrs. Richard Cabot, Miss Dierkes, Mrs. T. B. Fitzpatrick, Mrs. Thomas F. Galvin, Mrs. Charles R. Hayden, Miss Caroline Hazard, Mrs. Joshua Holden, Mrs. Harriett Prescott Spofford Marks, Miss Charlotte Porter, Miss Prendegast, Mrs. E. T. Ransom, Mrs. George Ryan, Mrs. Charles F. Richardson, Mrs. George W. Starr, Mrs. William Walter Taff.

The ball room of the Tuileries was filled with a fashionable audience on Tuesday morning, when Mrs. Waldo Richards of New York, formerly of Boston, gave several delightful readings. Mrs. Richards was most becomingly gowned in lotus blue chiffon embroidered in silver. Her selections meeting with highest approval were Dr. Van Dyke's poem, "God and the Open Air," and Browning's poem, "Count Gismond."

Among the subscribers present were Mrs. Edward D. Brandegee, Mrs. Charles [illegible], Mrs. William McKee, Mrs. Robert Farley Clark, Mrs. William F. Morgan, Mrs. J. Theodore Heard, Mrs. Eben D. Jordan, Mrs. William H. Hill, Mrs. Frederick [illegible], Mrs. Arthur C[illegible], Mrs. [illegible] Thorndike, Mrs. David [illegible], Mrs. John Devlin, Mrs. Stephen Weld, Mrs. Eugene Foss, Mrs. Nathan Anthony, Mrs. Alpheus H. Hardy, Mrs. Edwin Stone, Mrs. John Hamilton Rice, Mrs. Edward Adams, Mrs. David P. Kimball, Miss Sarah Guild, Mrs. William P. Killen, Mrs. Calvin Austin, Mrs. Ellen Jordan, Mrs. Frederick Clark.

Society Graces Opening Of New Shubert Theatre

A LARGE number of society people thronged the new Shubert Theatre on the opening night, last Monday, to witness the first performance of "The Taming of the Shrew," in which Miss Marlowe and Mr. Sothern played. Among the first nighters in the boxes were the following:

Alexander Higginson and party, Alexander Steinert and Mrs. Steinert, who was charming in one of the specially beautiful gowns of the season; A. Shuman, Edwin A. Shuman and Mrs. Shuman, in a creation of cream [illegible] silk with [illegible] of silver spangled embroidery; George Shuman, Carl Dreyfus, Mrs. C. H. Reed, Lee Shubert, J. J. Shubert, Miss Sara Shubert, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Cox of Cincinnati, Mrs. Edward D. Smith, having as guests Mrs. Henry M. Whitney and Mrs. Frank Gair Macomber; N. L. Amster and party; Thomas M. James and party; M. H. Smith and party, Mrs. George L. Strong and party, and Henry R. Rogers and party.

In the orchestra were the following with their guests:

Melvin O. Adams,
Mrs. Charles F. Aldrich,
Francis F. Allen,
Edward R. Andrews,
Calvin Austin,
General Hugh Bancroft,
Charles G. Blake,
William O. Blake,
E. Sturley Boyd,
William C. Codman, Jr.,
John J. Collins,
Francis J. Cotting,
Mrs. Alphonse L. Covel,
Mr. and Mrs. B. U. Curtis,
Frederick B. Cutler,
George L. Cutler,
Henry Davenport,
John S. Devlin,
George B. Dewson,
Ellerton L. Dorr, Jr.,
George H. Doty,
John F. Fitzgerald,
Dr. Carleton S. Francis,
Irvin McD. Garfield,
W. H. Gile,
Charles L. Harding,
Edward P. Holmes,
Sewall H. Hooper,
Eliot Hubbard,
Charles Inches,
A. Paul Keith,
Mrs. Henry P. Kidder,
L. Cushing Kimball,
D. Webster King,
Dr. Philip C. Knapp,
Amory A. Lawrence,
William Lindsay,
Thomas St. J. Lockwood,
Charles G. Loring,
Thatcher Loring,
George H. Mifflin,
Joseph G. Minot,
John H. Morison,
Hugh W. Ogden,
Dr. Richard F. O'Neil,
Raymond R. Overson,
Mrs. Nathaniel C. Poor,
George J. Putnam,
William R. Richards,
F. L. W. Richardson,
Charles F. Richmond,
Mrs. Henry A. Rogers,
Mrs. Waldo O. Ross,
Henry S. Howe,
Charles T. Russell,
Richard Sears,
Frederick E. Snow,
Solomon Stratton,
William W. Swan,
A. L. Thorndike,
Charles Tucker,
John F. Tyler,
Miss Susan Upham,
Bertram G. Waters,
Dr. Leon C. White,
Edward D. Wiggin,
Dr. Charles G. Wild,
Frederick H. Williams,
Gardner P. Williams,
Arthur W. Wood.

A delightful social event of the week was the reception and elaborate tea which Mrs. Louis B. Robinson and her daughter, Miss Florence Robinson, gave at the Lenox on Wednesday afternoon. The balcony and adjoining parlors were used by the guests and were prettily decorated with cut flowers and palms and ferns. The affair was in honor of Miss Robinson, who has but recently returned to Boston from an extended trip abroad. Mrs. Robinson has also been in Europe lately, and while there she and her daughter were entertained by the wife of the American ambassador in Paris and also by Mme. Fallieres at the Elysee Palace. At the Lenox reception there were three refreshment tables presided over by Mrs. Bernard Tenney, Jr., in pink chiffon, Miss Ella Bush, in pink with a becoming turban; Miss Matilda Aly, in blue; Mrs. H. Metcalf, in white satin with heavy beaded fringe and large picture hat and Mrs. Frank Hale, in her white satin wedding gown. Mrs. Robinson wore light blue chiffon over silk, with adornment of lace and jewels. Miss Robinson was attractively gowned in light tan-colored cloth and wore flowers.

Among the guests were Mrs. H. Staples Potter, gowned in gray with hat and furs to match and wearing diamond and pearls, Mrs. Henry Sawyer, in a modish gown of jetted lace; Mrs. Alexander Martin, in French blue velvet; Mrs. Theodore P. Gooding, in black and white, and Mrs. Austin [illegible]. Among the others noted in the throng were Mrs. Robert Stone, Mrs. Helen Moseley, Mrs. Charles A. Proctor, Mrs. Charles P. Searle, Mrs. Joseph Cotting, Mrs. Edmund H. Talbot, Professor and Mrs. William T. Strong, Mrs. Ella Botts, Mrs. Joseph Goodspeed, Mrs. Beatrice Pray, Mrs. A. H. Pray, Mrs. Frank J. Post, Mr. and Mrs. Warren O. Kyle, Mrs. Charles Brooks Appleton, Mrs. Luther S. Johnson, Mrs. Walter Kilham, Mrs. Arthur Estabrook, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Godfrey, Mrs. William H. Richardson, Mrs. George P. France, James Geddes, Jr., Mrs. Herbert N. Barnes, Mrs. J. Foster Bush, Mrs. N. P. Coburn, Mrs. Rufus Bates Sprague, Mrs. Daniel Lane, Mrs. F. C. Spooney, Miss Redway, John Whitcher and Atherton Perry.

Many Interested in Course of Lectures.

MRS. BELLAMY STORER, Mrs. Charles Bruen Perkins and Mrs. John Bapst Blake are the committee of arrangements for a course of four lectures on "Psychology of [illegible]" to be delivered during the coming month at the Hotel Tuileries on Commonwealth avenue.

The lecturers will be the Rev. Thomas E. Shields, Ph. D., and the Rev. Edward A. Pace, D. D., Ph. D., S. T. D., both eminent professors at the Catholic University, Washington.

The patronesses of the lecturers are: La Marquise de Bouthillier Chavigny, Mrs. Davenport Brown, Mrs. Arthur Astor Carey, Miss Emma Carey, Mrs. Thomas Dwight, Miss Marjorie Dexter, Mrs. William Endicott, Jr., Mrs. William E. Faulkner, Miss Eulalie Iasigi, Mrs. Lydia B. Taft and Mrs. Paul Thorndike.

The course will be as follows: Tuesday, February 15, "The Backward Pupil," by the Rev. Thomas E. Shields, Ph. D., associate professor of physiological psychology; Tuesday, February 22, "The Culture-Epoch Theory," by Father Shields; Tuesday, March 1, "Culture and Training," by Very Rev. Edward A. Pace, D. D., Ph. D., S. T. D., professor of psychology; Tuesday, March 8, "The Discrimination of Ideals," by Dr. Pace.

A representative number of the fashionables were interested in the minstrel and vaudeville show which was given in Copley Hall during the week in the interest of Beverly King, who for over fifteen years has been the efficient janitor of Copley Hall. Mr. King is now obliged to give up his position on account of failing eyesight and the board of governors, therefore, decided to give a large benefit for him. The committee in charge was made up of Holker Abbott, Thomas Allen, Miss Celeste W. Albright, Winthrop Allen, Miss Helen McKay, Miss Jean Oliver, Henry H. Gallison, D. Blakeley Hoar and Winthrop Pierce. The program was left to Mr. King and his friends to choose, and their preference was a minstrel and vaudeville show of two parts and given by the best colored talent in the city. The first part consisted of comic songs and dances, sketches and jokes, while in the second part were solos, sketches and an old time cakewalk.

Mrs. Charles S. Bird.
Mrs. C. E. Warren
Miss Constance Tippett
Miss Marie Lee.

Many Boston People Are Winter Visitors at Paris, and Other European Cities Claim Large Coterie.

MR. AND MRS. N. HUGH COTTON and their daughters, who have been abroad since last October, are wintering in Paris at No. 64 Rue Spontini. Miss Eleanor Cotton and Miss Lillian Cotton have with them Miss Ruth Winsor of Brookline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Winsor, and Miss Katherine Dorr, who is the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dorr of Cambridge. While both Miss Winsor and Miss Dorr are living in French families in Paris, they are under the direction of Mrs. Cotton. The girls are studying music and taking courses at the Sorbonne. Miss Dorr, who is an unusually accomplished pianist, is studying in Paris under Philippe. Miss Eleanor Cotton is an accomplished violinist.

Quite a number of the younger set of Bostonians are in Paris this Winter besides the Misses Cotton, Miss Dorr and Miss Winsor, who are all members of the Vincent Club and the Sewing Circle of 1907, among the others being Miss Alice Bowker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Bowker of Concord, and Miss Elizabeth Stone of Milton and Miss Nathalie Matthews, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Matthews. Some of the other Bostonians in the colony there are Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence (Emma Atherton) and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Munn (Mary Astor Paul). Some of the young men at the Beaux des Beaux Arts are Mrs. Lawrence's brother, Ray Atherton, Harvard '05, Deland Chandler, Harvard '06, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Ward Chandler of Marlboro street; W. Power Blodget, Harvard '07, a son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blodget of Chestnut Hill. Attendants of the same school, who come from New York, are Lawrence White, Harvard '08, a son of Mrs. Stanford White, and Wendell Blagden, Harvard '04, son of Mrs. Samuel P. Blagden and brother of Crawford Blagden, Meredith Blagden and Arthur Bladgen, who are all Harvard graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant, Jr. (Priscilla Stackpole), who were married here early in the new year, have arrived some time since in London, England, where they are to establish their home. There is quite a colony of Boston brides in London and Mrs. Grant has gone over with high expectations of a[illegible] residence there. William Phillips, who is a Boston man, and his bride, Caroline Astor Drayton, being the newest of the newlyweds to establish a home there. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Chapin (Julia Appleton Tuckerman), who were married here a short time ago, will be among the a[illegible]ditions from Boston in the very near future. Miss Drayton sailed last week with her father, J. Coleman Drayton, from New York to join her fiance. She was accompanied by Mr. Phillips's brother and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. John C. Phillips. The wedding is to take place soon after their arrival in England and Dr. Phillips is to be his brother's best man.

Albert Ivins Croll, Miss H. Pauline Croll, Harry Burnett, Nathaniel F. Emmons, Charles F. F. Kellogg, Charles A. Kidder, Arthur Michael, Leonard Fowle, E. C. Fitz, Charles T. [illegible], Miss Amy Gallagher, Mrs. Eben D. Jordan, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Lyman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mitchell, Colonel and Mrs. Harry E. Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Seiberlich are among those who have recently sailed for the shores of warmer lands.

Mrs. Charles Munn and Miss Carrie Louise Munn are among the passengers who arrived recently in London on their way to join the Charles A. Munns, who are being congratulated on the birth of a young son. Ever since the news of the arrival of her grandson reached this side Mrs. Munn has been impatient to go over and see her new relative.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Perry (Eleanor Bodine of New York), son and daughter-in-law of Mrs. Charles Perry of Beacon street, are spending the Winter in Paris.

Mrs. John Balch, Miss B. S. Beal, Mrs. Ernest W. Bowditch, Mrs. George Burgess, Mrs. Philip Dalton, Mrs. Malcolm Donald, Mrs. J. Malcolm Forbes, Mrs. Augustus Hemenway, Mrs. Robert F. Herrick, Miss Helen Jaques, Mrs. James Lawrence, Jr., Mrs. James S. Russell, Mrs. Philip Saltonstall, Mrs. Robert Saltonstall, Miss Katherine Sherwood, Mrs. Frederick M. Stone, Mrs. Nathaniel H. Stone, Miss Francis S. Watson, Miss Harriet E. Whittier and Mrs. Norton Wigglesworth were the patronesses for the song recital which Miss Anne Roberts of the Boston Opera Company gave in Milton Wednesday. A large company from Boston attended the affair.

Mrs. George W. Morse and her daughter, Miss Harriet C. Morse, gave a reception and tea at their home in the Newtons Monday afternoon from four until seven o'clock. A large number of friends from the Newtons, from Boston, Brookline and Cambridge attended in response to the five hundred invitations that were issued. The attractive and spacious house was well decorated with red carnations and potted plants. Guests were presented by the following corps of ushers: The Rev. Galen Tilley Morse, Howard Hackett, Benton Bradshaw, Arthur L. Thayer, Frank Towne, Winfield Towne, Carl Cutler, Joseph Bell, James Manners, Harold Gould, Francis Caleb, Louis Washburn and Walter Lovell. The tables in the tea room were presided over by Mrs. Ellen H. Richards, Mrs. Edward Walker, Mrs. Robert Larsen and Mrs. Walter Lowell. Mrs. Morse wore a becoming gown of gray crepe de chine with a necklace of pink opals, while Miss Morse was in a graceful creation of white duchesse lace and a diamond necklace.

Tuesday the New England Federation of Harvard Clubs held its second annual convention on invitation of the Harvard Club of Boston. After the informal luncheon and business meeting at the Parker House the members went on to the American House, where an informal reception was held from 6 to 7 p. m., followed by a dinner at which Charles [illegible] Billings '84, presided. The address of welcome to the visiting men was given by Henry L. Higginson '55, president of the Boston Harvard Club, while the other speakers were President A. Lawrence Lowell '77, Bishop William Lawrence '71 and Thomas W. Slocum '90, president of the Associated Harvard Clubs.

The dates for the Vincent Club show this year have been set for the afternoons of April 27 and 28, with an evening performance on Friday, April 29. "Rouge et Noir" is the title of the two-act play to be given by members of the club. The book and the lyrics were written by Mrs. Thaddeus C. Defries, 2d, of Brookline, who before her marriage was Miss Grace Croll, who was married last Autumn at Manchester, where her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ivins Croll, own a beautiful Summer home. Mrs. Defriez is herself a member of the Vincent Club, so is well aware of just what would be needed for their show. The scenes of the play are laid at Monte Carlo, so the action is necessarily brisk and inspiring.

Miss Laura Merriam, Miss Grace Bell, Granville R. Fortesque and William Emory were among the young men and women who joined in a unique program at the Capitol during the week and enjoyed a paper chase. The party met at Sheridan's Circle and the route was in the direction of Rock Creek Park. The air was crisp and both riders and horses were in good spirits and they covered miles of the surrounding country before they brought up at Chevy Chase Club, where luncheon was served.

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Comings and Goings of Those Prominent in the Social Life of Boston.

MR. AND MRS. LOUIS CHAPIN (Julia Appleton Tuckerman, who were married here recently, have been spending part of their honeymoon in the Berkshire district and have been stopping at the Curtis Hotel in Lenox. Mr. Chapin is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Chapin, who have a villa in Tyringham. Mr. Robert W. Chapin was the owner of [illegible], on Laurel Lake, where the Berkshire Hunt Kennels are situated. Mr. Chapin and his bride have gone to London, sailing recently to make their home there.

on Bay State road was opened Thursday afternoon at half-past three o'clock for the interesting entertainment in aid of the Hawthorne Club, a neighborhood house on Garden street. The programme was varied and unique and much appreciated by the throng of society people present. Miss Christine Hunnewell gave a piano solo and the Misses Hildegarde and Martha [illegible] sang with violin obligato. Mrs. Edward Bradford read short stories and impersonations, while Miss Margaret Deford, the debutante daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deford, sang a group of songs, and Miss Evelyn Street played several violin solos. Mrs. Robert Grant of Bay State road had charge of the sale of tickets. Miss Lilian Robinson of Berkeley street is the president of the Hawthorne Club, Miss Margaret Codman is assistant secretary, and Charles E. Stratton is the club treasurer. Among the members of the governing board and the active workers are Mrs. Livingston Davis, Mrs. Samuel Cabot, Mrs. William A. Russell, Miss Juliet Higginson, Miss Barbara Higginson, Miss Leslie Lindsey, James Prendergast, and Rufus Sprague. The club has a membership of two hundred and is composed of girls and boys who enter between the ages of five and ten and are trained in various kinds of hand work, cooking, housekeeping, basketry, clay modelling, drawing, sloyd, lace making, sewing, knitting, gymnastics, hygiene and music. The club maintains a Summer playground which is attended by more than five hundred children and it provides a week or two for its members in the country.

Mrs. Joshua B. Holden has been spending the past week in Baltimore with her sisters, Mrs. Walter Brooks, Jr., and Mrs. Miles White, Jr. On Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. White gave a large theatre party in honor of Mrs. Holden, followed by a supper at their residence on North Calvert street.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. Patten have returned to their home here after a visit in Washington, where they were the guests of Mrs. Patten's brother-in-law and sister, the Minister from Denmark and the Countess Moltke (Cornelia Thayer).

Dr. and Mrs. Henry P. Jaques have decided to close their Berkshire residence, Farm Villa, about the first of the month. They are to spend some time at the Curtis and will probably go abroad later in the season.

J. A. Garland of this city has been in New York during the week and was stopping at the Herald Square. W. C. Post of this city has also been in New York, staying at the Netherland Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mellen have decided to close their country home, Council Grove, in Stockbridge, about this time. They are soon to go to New Haven for the remainder of the Winter.

Stephen C. Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Henry H. Fuller, Henry H. Fuller, Jr., Miss Anna H. Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Nicholson, E. B. Sherman and F. S. Balke are in Newport for part of the Winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Paddleford, Miss Ruth Paddleford, and Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Ames are among the Bostonians who are at Fortress Monroe in Virginia this week.

Boston People at Fortress Monroe

BOSTONIANS who heard the rumor that the steam yacht Courier, belonging to B. F. Keith, the theatrical magnate, was lost were more worried than the owner appeared to be, for, although he had been awaiting the arrival of the boat at the Hotel Chamberlin for several days, he refused to believe that anything very serious had befallen the yacht on her trip from New York to Norfolk, for Mr. Keith is an optimist, and his friends have often heard him declare "that nothing is worth five minutes' worry," and, living up to that belief, he decided that the non-appearance of his boat was probably caused by her having to put into some port during a gale, which proved to be what happened. He left the latter part of the week with the following guests for a cruise in Southern waters: Miss B. B. Bates, Cohasset; Miss H. D. Gerauld, Goffstown, N. H.; Miss L. M. Heavy, Boston, and U. Grant Blackwood, New York.

Recent Boston arrivals at Fortress Monroe, Va., are: Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Cox, G. B. Baldwin, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. William L. Muler, Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Heard, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. James Higginson, G. H. Shaw, F. G. McDonald, Miss Grace Farley and Miss Jessica Sheldon.

After the evening concert at Fortress Monroe, Va., parties of young people enjoy a plunge in the swimming pool, and these "almost midnight" swimming parties are becoming very popular, many of the young women being very clever at diving. One of the most proficient swimmers is Miss Ruth Allison of Brookline, and scarcely a day passes that she is not to be found enjoying a swim about the pool.

A party of people from Boston who attended the performance of "In Panama," given in Norfolk, Va., Monday afternoon, was composed of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. James Higginson, G. H. Shaw, F. G. McDonald, Miss Grace Farley and Miss Jessica Sheldon.

Wheatley Lewis, son of Major Isaac Lewis of Fortress Monroe, Va., who is attending Boston Tech, is spending the week end with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Cox of Boston are spending a few days at Fortress Monroe, Va.

M. Heavy, Boston, and U. Grant Blackwood, New York.

Comings and Goings of Those Socially Prominent.

BRIDES and their whereabouts are always of interest, and we have so many to keep tabs on just at present that the task is rather distracting to say the least. The numerous friends of Mr. and Mrs. George Edward Hall, who were recently married in the Ames Memorial Church at North Easton, will be interested to learn that they are now in Italy, where they are to spend part of their honeymoon, going on later to France. The Halls will return to America in March and shortly after arriving will open their beautiful home in Dedham. Mrs. Hall was, before her marriage, Miss Harriet Ames. Other Bostonians in Italy just at present include Mrs. Charles Sumner Hamlin and her pretty daughter, Harriet, who left Boston in the early Autumn shortly after the death of Mrs. Hamlin's mother, the late Mrs. Pruyn of Albany. Mrs. Hamlin and her daughter will remain abroad until after Lent, when they will return and occupy their town house for several weeks before going to their Summer place at Mattapoisett.

Among the latest of the newly-weds to arrive from abroad are Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Howes (Mildred Cox), whose wedding took place in November and who have been spending their honeymoon in foreign travel. The Howes are being welcomed on all sides and any number of entertainments are being given in their honor. They are now establishing themselves in their picturesque new house on Woodland road, Brookline. Mrs. Howes is a delightfully attractive young matron and the many hospitalities which she is planning are bound to prove her success as a hostess.

The Swiss Minister and Mme. Ritter entertained at dinner early in the week, having as their guests the Japanese Ambassador and Baroness Uchida, Mrs. J. B. Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Monor, the Military Attache of the German Embassy [illegible], the Military Attache of the Japanese Legation, [illegible] Tanaka, Dr. and Mrs. Beverly Randolph, Miss Oliver and Miss Mabel Boardman.

Mr. and Mrs. William Patten of this city, who have been visiting in Washington, returned to their home here during the week. They were the guests of the Danish Minister and the Countess Moltke (Cornelia Thayer). Mrs. Patten, whose maiden name was Anna Thayer, is a sister of the Countess.

Mrs. John Swann of Lenox has been visiting Mrs. Charles S. Rackemann of this city. Mrs. Swann is keeping her Berkshire villa open all Winter.

Rear Admiral Stephen B. Luce of the United States Navy has been visiting in Boston during the past week and has returned to his home in Newport.

Mrs. A. M. Dodge of Beacon street is in New York, where she is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Alexander Churchward, at Lawrence park.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bigelow and James W. Bigelow, Jr., of this city are at Miami, Fla., where they are to spend the remainder of the Winter.

Mrs. J. F. Gay and Miss Alice Plunkett of Boston are in the Berkshires and are stopping at the Curtis Hotel.

J. V. Anthrop of this city is visiting in New York this week. He is stopping at the Hotel Seville.

Musicales to Be the Lent Social Feature.

NOTHING more exciting than musicales are scheduled for Lent, but there is such a [illegible] that [illegible] Bostonians remaining at home will be literally steeped in music. One of the most interesting of these musicales is the recital which Mrs. Elsie Washburn is to give at the Tuileries Wednesday morning, February 23. Mrs. Washburn, who is so well known in social circles here, is sure to have a large and representative audience. She has arranged a delightful program and is to be assisted by Mrs. Frances Dunton Wood, the well-known soprano. Among the society women actively interested in the success of [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Ames of North Easton, Mrs. William G. Adams of Commonwealth avenue, and Mrs. Stanley Parker, [illegible] of the Hotel Westminster. Tickets may be procured from any of these or from Mrs. Washburn herself at No. [illegible] Huntington avenue.

Mrs. Frank W. Benson, Mrs. Julian d'Este, Mrs. Henry G. Hall, Mrs. Nathan [illegible] Osgood, Mr. [illegible], Mrs. William G. Rantoul, Mrs. McDonald White and Mrs. Arthur West are the patronesses for the Salem Assembly to be given in Hamilton Hall on Tuesday evening.

Miss Florence H. Miller and Rockwood Miller have issued cards for the reception which they are to give at their Marlboro street house on the 17th of the coming month, from 5 until 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. James M. Crafts are to entertain at dinner to-morrow evening at their Commonwealth avenue residence in honor of President and Mrs. A. Lawrence Lowell.

Mrs. John Martin Graham has issued cards for a luncheon to be given at her Commonwealth avenue residence Tuesday at 1:30.

Twelfth Night Revels In Copley Hall Success.

AN exceedingly popular entertainment of the week was the presentation of the "Twelfth Night Revels" in Copley Hall on Thursday evening under the direction of the Copley Society. The decorations of the hall were unique but fitting, for they consisted of prints of nursery book animals, prancing in a painted procession, while across the ceiling were festoons on festoons of smilax screening the electric lights and surrounding the strange and interesting company representing many different lands and various epochs of history. There were [illegible] and pierrettes, troubadours, jesters, [illegible] gypsies, [illegible] Dutch [illegible] girls [illegible] and they all joined in the merrymaking and the sports of every imaginable kind. The performance wound up with dancing, in which hundreds of picturesque men and maids from lands near and far joined with delight and spirit. When all had danced to their hearts' content, they repaired to the supper room, where, in old time English fashion—each one to help himself—were spread doughnuts and cakes, fruits and candies and sweetmeats. The performance occasioned so much merrymaking and true enjoyment that the announcement by Edmund von Mach of Cambridge that the "Twelfth Night Revels" would be repeated on the afternoon of February 5 was received with great rejoicing.

Mrs. Samuel J. Mixter was chairman of the general committee which had charge of the affair. Mrs. W. Otis Kimball designed and carried out the decorations, while the chief marshal was Francis Lyman Clark of Brookline. Joseph Adams was the Pied Piper, and Frank W. Webber took the part of [illegible]. Windsor Soule was Noah, while Mrs. Soule was Noah's wife. The Noah's Ark group included Mr. and Mrs. W. Otis Kimball, A. W. Soule, Quincy Peters, Mrs. Paul Caine and Miss Idelle Keyes. The Duchess from Wonderland was Mrs. Alexander Porter, while Miss Elizabeth Porter was the Queen of Hearts. Miss M. Porter took the part of the Red Queen, and the White Queen was Miss F. Porter. Miss M. Nance was the Goose and Percival Roberts the Spider, while Miss Harriet Morse took the part of the cock horse and Winfield C. [illegible] took the part of the Nightmare.

The company consisted of the following list, also showing the parts they took:

Mrs. Samuel J. Mixter, Dutch burgher's wife.
Courtenay Guild, beefeaters, Tower of London Guards.
Frank N. Nay, Turkish lady.
J. Bernard Ferber, Prince of Marsovia.
Mrs. Wade Keyes, Spanish girl.
Miss Martha Neele, Daffydowndilly.
Miss M. M. Cook, Puritan.
Miss Gertrude James, shepherdess.
Mrs. Jaffrey Daughter, Pierrette.
Wayne Stiles, Pierrot.
W. J. Norton, [illegible].
A. S. Wentworth, gypsy.
Frank Neonan, Puritan.
Miss Mary Withington, Italian girl.
Mrs. Andrew S. Wentworth, tambourine girl.
Miss Florence Fisher, German peasant.
Mrs. F. R. Keith, Irish colleen.
F. R. Keith, Alpine peasant.
George C. Galbith, colonial Virginia.
Miss Elizabeth Withington, German hop picker.
Miss Alice Avery, Swedish costume.
J. F. Bacon, German shoemaker.
Mrs. J. F. Bacon, shoemaker's wife.
A. J. Fairbanks, Dutch cobbler.
Mrs. A. J. Fairbanks, Dutch cobbler's wife.
R. Barton Parker, English courtier.
B. P. Peterson, Japanese official.
H. C. MacNeil, French peasant.
Prof. L. B. Evans, Venetian Senator.
Mme. A. Rotoli, Russian peasant.
Miss Francesca Rotoli, Russian peasant.
Miss [illegible], French peasant.
D. F. [illegible], Directoire courtier.
F. H. C. [illegible], Napoleon.
Mrs. E. M. Jennings, Yama Yama girl.
Miss [illegible] Key, Yama Yama girl.
Miss M. Milard, Italian peasant.
Miss Caroline Aldrich, Italian peasant.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gardner Hale, Swedish peasants.
Mrs. Lucy Richards, Pont Aven peasant.
Miss Clara G. Perry, Breton peasant.
W. G. Rich, colonial.
Miss Elizabeth Gild, colonial.
Miss May Newman, Italian peasant.
Miss A. C. Gild, gypsy girl.
Mrs. E. H. Dyer, colonial.
Miss Helen Leghorn, gypsy.
T. W. Sprague, Dutch.
A. W. Fusse, troubadour.
[illegible], pirate.
Miss N. L. Rich, Pocahontas.
Miss Fritz Poole, Grecian.
Mrs. H. S. Wilkinson, Spanish.
Roy S. Porad, Puritan.
John Kitson, St. Bernard monk.
Miss Georgiana Lane, Flemish maid.
Mrs. Theo. Kitson, Roumanian girl.
Mrs. Nathan Cheney, meistersinger.
Mrs. [illegible], a costersinger.
Waldo Bates, Indian brave.
Mrs. S. O. [illegible], Russian costume.
Mrs. [illegible], Brittany costume.
Miss Cora Bailey, Louis XIV.
Mrs. Francis Huntress, Jr., lady of court of France.
Mrs. James B. Richardson, lady of court of France.
Miss Marietta Guild, old English costume.
Miss Harriet Perry, Spanish.
Mrs. A. Emmons, Normandy.
Louis Kronberg, Spanish.
Richard Pfaff, Bedouin.
Karl Downs, Dutch [illegible].
Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Page, Dutch dolls.
Mr. Morse, George Washington.
Miss Ella [illegible], Spanish.
Desmond Fitzgerald, colonial.
Mrs. M. Langer, Italian peasant.
Miss Dorothy Kitson, Dutch.
Miss Sarah B. Barrett, colonial.
E. H. Bartlett, Scotch Highlander.
Miss Alice Austin, Spanish gypsy.
Miss Mary Knight Porter, gypsy.
Miss Norma Pierce, Dutch girl.
F. M. Gracey, Robin Hood.
Mrs. F. M. Gracey, Maid Marian.
Miss A. H. Hutton, Cardinal Richelieu.
Dr. P. W. Greenery, Puritan.
Walter Stiles, Roman senator.
Roland S. Stebbins, jester.
S. Burtis Baker, Roman gladiator.
Miss S. R. Dabney, Dutch girl.
G. Fahnstock, Pierrot.
Mrs. F. P. Flanders, milkmaid.
Dr. C. G. Page, Dutch farmer.
Mrs. C. G. Page, Dutch girl.
W. L. Downs, early English girl.
Mrs. Arthur Perry, Jr., Alice in Wonderland.
Arthur Perry, Jr., the March hare.
Mrs. S. P. Bremer, Russian peasant.
Mack M. Sturgis, English beefeater.
Mrs. Andrew Garbutt, colonial dame.
Miss Gertrude Garbutt, Dresden shepherdess.
Mrs. Francis McConnollie, Dresden shepherdess.
Joseph Garbutt, Charles the Second.
Francis M. Combille, cavalier.
A. Howard Garbutt, page in English court.
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Lasell, Watteau shepherd and shepherdess.
Miss Hildegarde Lasell, Nuremburg girl.
Arthur E. Childs, knight of eighteenth century.
Miss Maude E. Woodruff, Russian peasant.
Miss Mary Ellery, Russian peasant.
Mrs. Whitman R. Morton, Dresden shepherdess.
Miss Julia Appleton, Russian girl.
Mrs. C. F. Withington, wallow man.
Miss C. F. Maxwell, English lady of fourteenth century.
Miss D. G. Rice, Indian.
Miss M. R. Waldron, Tyrolean peasant.
Dr. G. A. Webster, Tyrolean peasant.

February 23 and 24 are the dates set for the entertainment for charity to be given in Eliot Hall, Jamaica Plain. The entertainment, "Trial by Jury," was given at Cohasset and Hingham last Summer and the cast of principals is to be the same. The bridesmaids and chorus will be made up of prominent Jamaica Plain and Boston girls and there is also to be a short play by the Criterion Club. The entertainment is being arranged by Mrs. Harold Ernst.

The course of addresses being given under the auspices of the drama committee of the Twentieth Century Club and the series of short American plays are proving no end of a success. The addresses are given in the hall of the club house, No. 3 Joy street. The first was given last Wednesday evening by Percy Mackaye on the "Civic Functions of the Theatre."

On the evening of February 23 Frank Chouteau Brown will deliver an address on "Modern Stage Settings," with stereopticon illustrations; on March 23, Prof. George P. Baker will deliver an address on "Our Critical Attitude Toward Plays," and on April 27 two or three short plays will be given by younger American dramatists.

MANY VISITORS WELCOMED INTO BOSTON'S HOMES

Guests from Other Cities Being Entertained by Friends and Relatives in Lavish Manner.

HOWEVER full the social program of the season may be there is always time, it seems, for another house party, a house guest or two from other cities, or for a visit to friends and relatives in Baltimore, Washington, New York, Chicago, or in some of the nearby towns, for next to entertaining in her own home and in her own inimitable way, there is perhaps nothing the Boston matron enjoys more than the occasional sally forth to enjoy the hospitality of her sisters in other cities.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Lee of Beacon street are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Charles Hammond, who has recently come here for a visit from her home in California. Mrs. Hammond is being entertained here extensively and is having a most enjoyable time renewing old acquaintances. She expects to remain in Boston until the first of next month. Mrs. Hammond is a sister of Mrs. Reginald Gray.

Mrs. Wirt Dexter of Commonwealth avenue is prolonging her stay in Washington and is visiting some of her former Chicago friends as well as her strictly Washington friends. She has been the house guest of the Franklin MacVeaghs for some time and has assisted Mrs. MacVeagh in receiving on several important occasions. Her daughter, Mrs. Stanley McCormick, who makes her home with her on Commonwealth avenue, has decided to spend the remainder of the Winter in California.

Mrs. Arthur Little and her daughter, Miss [illegible] Means, [illegible] Chicago, having gone on more than a week ago to be present at the entertainments that have been planned for Miss Alice Hubbard, whose engagement to Mr. Means has been announced recently. Mr. and Mrs. Frank [illegible] Whitney (Louise V. Clarke) have [illegible] friends after the first of the month.

Mrs. Jared Lockwood of New York is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Martin Graham, at her Commonwealth avenue home. Mrs. Lockwood has been here some weeks and has been receiving many attentions from her old friends. She is well known here, where she made her home up to the time she left here two years ago with her son, Huron Lockwood, for a trip around the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galt Fitzgerald of [illegible] are visiting Mrs. [illegible] Charles S. Tuckerman, at her residence on Bay State road. They came on for the marriage of Miss [illegible] Miss Julia Appleton Tuckerman, who is now Mrs. Louis Chapin. Mrs. Fitzgerald was matron of honor for her sister.

Mrs. Daniel Lothrop and her daughter, Miss Margaret Lothrop of Concord, are in Washington for part of the Winter and are receiving much attention socially. Mrs. Arthur Ramsey of Washington recently gave a tea in their honor, having as her other guest of honor Mrs. Burrows, wife of Senator Burrows.

Mrs. Nathaniel Emmons has been spending some time in New York and has been stopping at the Belmont, having gone over a short time ago to see Mr. Emmons and his father off for a trip to South America. She is soon to return to her home in Hingham.

Mrs. John H. Rice of West Cedar street is entertaining Mrs. Waldo Richards of New York during her stay here.

Mrs. Harry Pratt McKean of Philadelphia is in Boston for a short visit. She is stopping at the Touraine.

Boston People Prominent In Washington Society.

THE large number of important social functions at Washington, the elaborate dinners, important dances, the frequent luncheon parties, the large theatre parties, and that indispensable social function, the fashionable reception, give some indication of the pace the smart set is setting, for the season, which did not begin until after the first of the New Year, is not [illegible] its very height. The fashionable Bostonians at the Capitol are actively interested, of course, and are themselves giving a good share of the impetus to the social ball.

Vice President and Mrs. James Sherman were hosts Wednesday evening at the [illegible] reception of the season, apart from [illegible] White House. The affair was complimentary to the members of the United States Senate and their wives. The majority of the Senators and their wives were present, as were also the Cabinet officers and their wives, and the chiefs of the legation and foreign embassies. A portion of the marine band played throughout the evening, but no dancing, the Sherman residence being one of the few of the newer official residences which have no ballrooms. The Shermans were assisted in receiving by their three daughters-in-law, Mrs. Thomas Sherman, Mrs. Sherrill Sherman and Mrs. Richard Sherman, who came on from Utica, New York, with their husbands for the occasion. The large house was decorated throughout with palms, Southern smilax, American beauty roses giving the color note in the drawing room, with pink roses in the dining room, where a buffet supper was served. Following the custom of the last administration, the President was among the guests and was attended by his military aid, Captain A. W. Butt of the United States Army.

The guests present included almost the entire Senate, most of Vice President Sherman's former colleagues and their wives and daughters, the Italian Ambassador and Baroness Mayor des Planches, the French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, the British Ambassador and Mrs. James Bryce, the German Ambassador and Countess von Bernstorff, the Minister from Sweden and Mme. de Lagercrantz, the Minister from Norway and Mme. Grip, the Minister from the Netherlands and Mme. Loudon, the Minister from Denmark and Countess Moltke (Cornelia Thayer), [illegible] the Greek Minister [illegible] and [illegible] of the Treasury and Mrs. MacVeagh, the Secretary [illegible] Mrs. Ballinger, [illegible] Mrs. Wickersham, [illegible] Navy and Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. [illegible] Justice [illegible] Mrs. Lurton, [illegible] and Mrs. Fason [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Miss May W[illegible].

[illegible] Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Frederick [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. Huntington Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Foster, Senator and Mrs. Thomas H. Carter and Mrs. Norman Williams, [illegible] formal social gathering [illegible] Spanish Minister, the Marquis de Villalobar, gave at the Legation headquarters Sunday evening. Practically the entire membership of the various Diplomatic Corps and a large representation of society from the fashionable sections were present. [illegible] in the decoration of the rooms and in the reception itself were very suggestive of the Minister's native land. His own coat of arms, which represents one of the oldest families of Spain, was to be seen, and in the drawing rooms hung the portraits of the King and Queen of Spain and many other personages connected with that country. Behind a little bower of palms and ferns a group of musicians played Spanish airs on mandolins [illegible] to the delight of the [illegible] society generally [illegible] of more than the usual interest. Not only did it present the first opportunity yet given to society to greet the Marquis formally as the Minister from Spain, but it was the first opportunity [illegible] of bidding him welcome to the diplomatic corps. Pink and white carnations with an occasional suggestion of the Spanish colors formed the decorations throughout the rooms. A buffet luncheon was served.

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. George von L. Meyer gave the first of their two large evening receptions at their residence in Washington on Wednesday evening. Several hundred persons were present from official and resident society, including members of the various diplomatic corps. Assisting Mrs. Meyer were her two daughters, Miss Julia Meyer and Miss Alice Meyer; Mrs. Philip Hichborn, Mrs. John C. Phillips, Mrs. Frank W. Andrews, Mrs. Beekman Winthrop, Mrs. Wainwright, Miss Loverlng, Miss Parrish and Miss Martha Phillips. Preceding the reception were several large dinner parties, among the hosts being Representative and Mrs. [illegible] W. Wainwright, whose chief [illegible] Speaker Cannon and Miss Cannon, Mr. and Mrs. Beekman Winthrop, Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Fahnestock, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Pepper, Senator and Mrs. Chauncey Depew, Representative and Mrs. Fassett, Colonel and Mrs. Symons, Mrs. Mark Hanna, Miss Mabel Boardman, Miss Josephine Patten, Senator Warren, Senator Burton and Representative Olmsted.

The Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. George von L. Meyer, the Postmaster-General, Justice and Mrs. Day, Attorney-General and Mrs. Wickersham, Senator Kean and Miss Kean, Senator and Mrs. C. D. Clark, Senator and Mrs. Winthrop Murray Crane, the Assistant Attorney-General and Mrs. Lawler were entertained at dinner Monday evening by the Secretary of the Interior and Mrs. Ballinger.

Miss Mabel Boardman's home at Washington was the mecca of many of the smart set at the Capitol when she entertained a company of several hundred from the official and resident contingent during the week. Miss [illegible] was assisted by her [illegible] Mrs. Winthrop Murray Crane and Mrs. [illegible] Kean. Miss Boardman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William J. Boardman, are, as usual at this time of the year, in the South for the remainder of the Winter, and Miss Boardman is therefore head of the house at Dupont Circle.

Mrs. Robert Hinckley was the hostess this week at the regular Monday evening dance which she is giving this season in [illegible] and their friends. At the dinner which preceded the dance there were twenty covers laid. The guests were Miss Alice Reed and Miss Margaret Winslow of New York, who are friends of Miss Gladys Hinckley. Miss Laura Merriam was one of the guests and [illegible] proved quite a favorite among the beaux. The dance was given in the white and gold ballroom at Rauscher's, where in addition to four other dinner parties some fifty additional guests joined the company. The other dinner hosts were Mr. and Mrs. William Meyers, Mr. and Mrs. James Mauran Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Noyes and Rear Admiral and Mrs. Oliver, all of whom have debutante daughters.

One of the earliest society events of the week was the dinner which the Ambassador from Austro-Hungary and the Baroness Hengelmüller gave at the embassy headquarters [illegible] the [illegible] Baroness Mayor des Planches [illegible] Minister and Mme. Cruz, the Viscount d'Alte, the Minister from [illegible] the Marquis de Villalobar, the Minister from Spain, Senator Du Pont, [illegible] and Mrs. Ulysses S. Grant, 3d, Countess de Benoist d'Azy of the French Embassy, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Purdy, Mrs. Leiter, Miss Julia Meyer, Miss Josephine Patten, Miss Fiske, the Hon. Rachel Kay Shuttleworth, Baron Ambrozy, Count Czinsky and Captain A. W. Butt.

Some of the interesting coming events at Washington in which Bostonians there are conspicuously concerned, are the series of musicales, preceded by large dinner parties, which Mr. and Mrs. Larz Anderson are to give, the musicale which Mrs. Edson Bradley has planned for the fifth of the month, the dance which the George von L. Meyers are arranging and for which, with all the naval officers in Washington, there is [illegible] variety of men; the [illegible] Mrs. James McMillan [illegible] with the three sisters, Mrs. [illegible] Crane, Mrs. Frederick [illegible] and Miss Mabel Boardman.

[illegible] Ray Tyler of this city, whose entertainments at his Villa Margherita in [illegible] are coming to be considered among the most brilliant, and whose invitations to teas, receptions and other functions at his villa are eagerly sought by the highest nobility.

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MANY EVENTS OF INTEREST AMONG WOMEN'S CLUBS OF BOSTON AND NEW ENGLAND

JUDGE BEN B. LINDSEY'S lecture February 18 before the Brighthelmstone Woman's [illegible] a big drawing card [illegible] an open [illegible] Arrangements have [illegible] meeting in the Brighton Avenue Baptist Church [illegible] necessary to have large quarters, as this is Judge Lindsey's only lecture near Boston this year. Mrs. [illegible] Sawin Sey[illegible]bury, the president, is to be commended upon securing such an able speaker. His talk will be on juvenile court work, in which he gained his fame, and will no doubt [illegible] regard [illegible] woman suffrage, which has been achieved in his State.

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All the women who have been fortunate enough to be chosen delegates are looking forward to the State Federation meeting in Park Street Church Tuesday. Miss Georgia A. Bacon will preside and ex-Governor Curtis Guild is to be the chief speaker, his subject to be the conservation and [illegible] of the natural resources of New England. The conference of the club presidents [illegible] Wednesday [illegible] the Hotel Vendome. Owing to lack of accommodation, the committee has found it necessary to restrict the attendance to this conference to the presidents and vice-presidents of the New England State Federations, the [illegible] forestry [illegible] sanitation committees [illegible] these from [illegible] the New England members of these committees of the general federation, the executive board and the chairmen of the standing committees of the Massachusetts State Federation.

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The members of the Monday Club of Wakefield were entertained this week by Mrs. Grace Carleton Mansfield at her home [illegible] street. While the members bent to their sewing Miss Bertha Taylor, in [illegible] American [illegible] read life sketches of Charles [illegible] Brown, and James [illegible] Cooper, [illegible] and Washington Irving [illegible] A social half hour interspersed with tea served by the hostess brought [illegible] to a close. Next Monday the members of the club will be entertained by Miss Daisy Driver at her home on Lakeside and the program will be prepared by Mrs. [illegible] Eaton.

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The members of the Mattapannock Woman's Club of South Boston are taking much interest in legislative affairs. Dr. Adelaide N. Abbott, chairman of the Legislative Committee, has urged the members to write to Senator Lodge in favor of several measures. Mrs. F. S. Littlefield, chairman of the South Boston streets and alleys of the Municipal League, reported that the League is preparing a bill to punish anyone throwing rubbish of any kind in the streets.

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Miss Maria Baldwin, principal of the Agassiz school, gave a talk on "The Idylls of the King" at the meeting of the Cantabrigia Club Wednesday afternoon under the direction of the literature section. The class in parliamentary law met Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock and there were also meetings of the physical culture and oratory classes. The art class met Friday afternoon in the club room and the cooking class Friday morning at 1 Water street, Arlington.

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Mrs. Margaret L. Rae of the Ilkley had charge of the meeting of the New England Women's club meeting Monday, the program being devoted to M[illegible] music. With both piano and vocal numbers. The Thursday afternoon teas are to be continued. A member of the house committee will be in charge.

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The regular meeting of the Forthian Club will be held Saturday afternoon and Elsie Leighton Livermore is to appear in a recital of Clyde Fitch's comedy "Captain Jinks." The officers of the State federation will be guests and other honorary guests have been invited.

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The next [illegible] of the Norumbega Club will be [illegible] and Mrs. Edith [illegible] of the afternoon. Mrs. [illegible] will give [illegible] travel [illegible] lantern pictures. Miss [illegible] Bigelow will sing.

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Mrs. [illegible] of the [illegible] the members [illegible]

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[illegible] In accordance with the custom of several years, Mrs. Mae D. Frazar is to conduct a class in Spanish literature. Mrs. [illegible] and Mrs. J. S. Bennett [illegible] delegates to the federation meeting next Thursday. The club [illegible] afternoon in the [illegible] The travel class, under the [illegible] of Mrs. Frazar, met Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the subject being "A Visit to Sicily." Next Wednesday evening comes the annual gentlemen's night which will consist of a reception, entertainment and banquet. Mrs. Elizabeth [illegible] will give readings and the Schubert Quartet has also been engaged. The hospitality committee has the affair in charge, the leaders being Mrs. Florence F. Kneeland, Mrs. Mary E. Lovejoy and Mrs. Minnie A. Potter. February 14 the subject for the travel class will be [illegible] Region to Quaint [illegible] The next regular meeting [illegible] the 19th at 2.30 o'clock, and Arlo Bates will lecture on "The Art of Thinking." Mrs. Sophia Bateman, [illegible] of the current events committee [illegible] There will be music and Mrs. Mary E. Lovejoy will preside at the tea table.

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The fifth annual exhibit of the Brockton Woman's Club this week was the banner event of the club this season. Paintings to the value of nearly $50,000 were shown by artists who have won fame in this and other countries. There were a number of Boston exhibitors. Previous to the opening of the galleries Mrs. Fred A. Hoyt, president, presented Mayor William H. Clifford with a handsome landscape, which is to be hung in the public library. The exhibit closed Saturday night and it was [illegible] the nucleus of a collection for a Brockton art gallery, which is one of the things the club hopes to see in Brockton some day. The committee in charge of the affair included Mrs. L. M. Chubbuck, Mrs. J. W. Packard, Mrs. W. A. Chaplain, Mrs. J. P. Scudder, Mrs. Herbert L. Waterman, Mrs. E. P. Dunbar, Mrs. C. A. Helm and Mrs. Clarence Sturtevant.

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Between the hours of 3 and 5 o'clock on Tuesday the members of the T. T. O. Club of Wakefield were keenly interested in the book review program prepared and presented by Mrs. Finlan F. Howland. The book reviewed was "The Garden of Allah," by Robert Hichens, and the contents were most clearly put before the members by Mrs. Howland's reading. A general discussion followed, each member giving her views of the book. The last half hour of the afternoon was spent over the tea cups, the members being served dainty refreshments by the hostess, Mrs. Benjamin F. Stetson of West Chestnut street while they chatted. The next meeting of the club will be at the home of Mrs. Clinton H. Stearns.

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The special committee of the Heptorean Club which has the guest night affairs in hand have decided not to hold the event on February 8, as the date would be too conflicting. A later date will be decided upon and the announcement will be made in the near future. The first art class at the new museum was held Tuesday afternoon, Mrs. Ella H. Watson, chairman of the committee in charge. The next meeting will be February 12, under the direction of the household economics department. Miss Marie W. Howard will talk on "Nutritive Values and Cost of Food." Social tea will follow.

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The Stoneham Woman's Club met on Friday of this week instead of Tuesday, but owing to the smallpox scare in the town there were but a few members out. Mr. John Nolan of Cambridge, the landscape artist, sometimes called the city builder, was the guest of the club and entertained the members with a stereopticon lecture. Mr. Nolan took for his subject "The Town Beautiful and Intelligent City Planning and Beautifying." Several slides used by Mr. Nolan were of prominent places in Stoneham, and in his remarks he outlined plans toward beautifying them.

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The members of the Stoneham Catholic Woman's Club entertained in McKenna's Hall on Monday evening about two hundred friends at a whist and dancing party, the affair being in charge of the social committee of the club of which Miss Joan [illegible] is the [illegible] Fifty tables of whist were played between the hours of 8 and 10 o'clock and the souvenir winners were Miss Mary O'Neil, Mrs. Frank Hamel, Edward McInnes and Walter Stevens. General dancing was enjoyed until midnight.

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Mrs. Stuart B. Purdy opened her Ash[illegible] on Monday for the weekly meeting of the Book and Thimble Club of Wakefield. Rudyard Kipling was the author discussed by the members, and pleasant stories from his works were [illegible] read by Miss Alice J. Walton. Next [illegible] the club will meet with Miss [illegible] home on Main street, Lakeside.

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At [illegible] of the Thursday Morning Fortnightly Club a dramatization of Wilkie Collins' novel "The New Magdalen" was read. Mrs. George A. Hibbard, Mrs. Anna M. Osman, Miss Shurtleff, Miss [illegible] Mrs. Alice Taylor Jacobs and Mrs. Lillian Macdonald read the different roles. The club plans to observe its anniversary on the 18th of February.

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Mrs. E. C. Farwell gave the current events at the meeting of the Hyde Park Current Events Club Wednesday afternoon. The [illegible] committee had charge of the meeting. The club, under the direction of Mrs. F. W. Darling, the president, has voted to indorse the new bills which are to come before the Legislature on child labor.

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The regular meeting of the Woman's Book Review Club of Dorchester was held yesterday with a Russian entertainment as the attraction. There was both vocal and instrumental Russian music and the "Mystic Seven" presented a short sketch, which was especially written for the occasion. Russian tea was served.

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The next meeting of the Stoneham Woman's Club will be held March 1st, when Miss Helen Paine Hurling will give an illustrated lecture on "Labrador Through a Woman's Eye." At the meeting last Tuesday afternoon John Nolen lectured on "The Town Beautiful," with splendid illustrations.

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Professor Charles Upson Clark is to give a lecture on "The Artists of Venice" at the meeting of the New England Wheaton Seminary Club February 12, at the Vendome. On March 12 William D. Cabot will talk on "Labrador," with stereopticon illustrations.

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[illegible] meeting and dinner of the '94 [illegible] of the Girls' High School was held Wednesday at 6.30 o'clock at 280 Boylston street with a large and enthusiastic attendance.

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Mrs. Mary E. Beal has been appointed patriotic instructor of John A. Andrew [illegible] Ladies of the G. A. R. Miss Louise [illegible] the pianist and Nellie R. Thomas press correspondent.

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The Current Events Committee of which Mrs. Kate Pierce Thayer is chairman, had charge of the meeting of the Monday Club of Weymouth.

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Mrs. Charlton Black is to appear at the meeting of the Watertown Woman's club, February 7th, in a program of miscellaneous readings.

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Miss Evelyn F. Pascal, No. 10 Prospect street, Brookline, will entertain the members of the Sphinx Club February 7.

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The regular meeting of the Somerville Hospital Ladies' Aid Association was held at the hospital Wednesday afternoon.

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Next Tuesday Miss Mary Canney will read from "The Dawn of a To-morrow" at the meeting of the Home Club.

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Anne Adams Tufts Chapter will be hostess at D. A. R. headquarters in the Pierce Building February 14.

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Franklin and Faneuil Hall Chapters will be the hostesses at the D. A. R. headquarters to-morrow afternoon.

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Mrs. John H. Kasler had charge of the matinee whist of the Webcowit Ladies' Club Friday afternoon.

PROMINENT WORKER FOR WOMAN'S CLUBS

MRS. ROYAL WHITON

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Mrs. Nelson Stetson entertained the Abington Woman's Club at her home Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. George O. Jenkins read a paper on "My Trip of Trips." Mrs. William C. Lean's was on "The Mosquito and the Fly and Their Disease Carrying Power," while Mrs. W. E. Dow, a member of the pure food committee of the Massachusetts Federation, spoke on "Food Sanitation."

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The ninth meeting of the Quest and Question Club of Winthrop was held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Cummings, No. 108 Summit avenue, Tuesday. The papers for the afternoon were on "Hercules," given by Mrs. Katharine Knight; "Theseus and Ariadne," by Mrs. Annie C. Webber, and "Andromeda and Perseus," by Mrs. Elizabeth W. Hayes. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Benedict, No. 69 Temple avenue, February 8.

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Old Blake House Chapter, D. A. R., was formally organized Wednesday morning at the house in Edward Everett square. The officers are Mrs. William B. Rand, president; Mrs. Josephine Ruggles Baker, vice-regent; Mrs. William Jefferson Parker, recording secretary; Mrs. Harry Baker, corresponding secretary; Miss Dorotha Rand, registrar; Mrs. Joseph Creed, treasurer, and Mrs. Herbert Watson, historian.

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Receipts for the recent minstrel show of the Old Powder House Club have been announced as $190. The next meeting comes Tuesday evening, Presidents' Night to be observed. The Rev. Allen A. Stockdale will give his lecture, "Shall the Corners of the Mouth Turn Up or Down?" and there will be a musical program. On February 15 Mrs. Mae D. Frazar will give an illustrated lecture on "Switzerland," instead of the tableaux originally planned.

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Mrs. Isabelle Austin read a paper about beautiful Belgrade, Me., at the meeting of the Dorchester Daughters of Maine Thursday at the home of Mrs. Clara E. Harriman, No. 97 Bowdoin street. The hostesses were Mrs. Flora E. Stadley, Mrs. Fannie Curtis, Mrs. Mary L. Dodge, Mrs. George Davenport, Mrs. Ruth Hildenbrand, Mrs. Charles Grant and Mrs. Ellen Coburn. Music and refreshments followed.

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By the recent decision of the full bench of the Supreme Court whereby Molly Varnum Chapter, D. A. R., of Lowell, was declared exempt from taxation, the D. A. R. feels that a most important precedent has been established. The decision declares that the purposes and work are benevolent and thereby its property [illegible] exempt from taxation.

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Mrs. George A. Hibbard gave a program of readings at the literary afternoon of the Woman's Charity Club at the Hotel Vendome Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Helen Boyce and a quartet [illegible] program. The club will have a whist next Thursday afternoon at the Vendome, of which Mrs. Granville L. Ames of the Copley Square Hotel is to be in charge.

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Miss Katherine D. Whitman of Everett spoke on "Venice and Its Fete Days" before this week's meeting of the Whitman Woman's Club. Miss Whitman has been to Venice four times, and during one of her visits she lived with a Venetian family four months. Her talk was highly pleasing and was illustrated with several pretty views.

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Pure food laws were the subject of general discussion at the meeting of the Boston Political Club Wednesday afternoon in the Metaphysical Club parlors. Mrs. Electa P. Sherman gave the usual parliamentary drill and there was a synopsis of current events.

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Miss Maria Willett Howard of Boston gave a lecture on "Modern Appliances and Labor Saving Devices" before the economics class of the Brockton Woman's Club this week. Among other things Miss Howard demonstrated the value of a fireless cooker.

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At the meeting of the Old and New Club of Malden Tuesday afternoon, the members debated on the question "Should Domestic Science be Taught in the Malden Schools." The meeting was a very lively and spirited one, a large number of the members entering into the argument.

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Mrs. Charles Stover will entertain the members of the women's organization of the Boston Association of Retail Druggists at whist at her home, No. 51 Trowbridge street, Cambridge, next Thursday afternoon.

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The Boston branch of the Good Cheer Society, under the able direction of Miss Isabelle Stone of the Boston Bureau of Music, is to have a series of concerts during the coming month.

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Mrs. May Alden Ward is to conduct a class in current events for the Melrose Woman's Club, to be held in the high school hall on the third Wednesday of each month during the club season.

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The meeting of the Norwood Woman's Club on Tuesday was under the direction of Mrs. Lillian J. Carter, chairman of the household science committee.

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The third and last of the series of dancing parties of the Charity Club will be held Thursday evening and a very attractive party is being planned.

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The board of government of the Milton Woman's Club has voted to indorse the bills on child labor which are to come up before the Legislature.

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Mrs. Mabel Loomis Todd gave a talk on "The Latest News from Mars" at the meeting of the Medford Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon.

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"Gentlemen's Night" will be celebrated by the Daughters of Vermont with a banquet at the Hotel Vendome February 17.

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Judge Ben B. Lindsay's lecture February 18, before the Brighthelmstone Club, promises to be a large drawing card.

Society News in and Around Boston

LYNN.

Among the pretty dances given in Lynn this week was that of the James Phelan & Sons Mutual Benefit Association held at the Casino [illegible] Friday evening [illegible] general chairman of the committee in charge. His aides were Miss Etta Brady, William Murphy, Mrs. Lulu [illegible] Brown, Jean Russell, John C. [illegible] Mrs. Sarah B. Collins, Albert White, Miss May Shanahan, Miss Mollie Sullivan, Robert McKeagne, Miss Lena Oakes, William Sweet, Miss Annie Murphy, Miss Nellie [illegible] William [illegible] Mrs. Mary Snell, Edward [illegible] Miss Nellie Shanahan, Miss Annie Sullivan, Miss Mary Rollins, Edward [illegible] George Ward, Victor [illegible] Miss [illegible] George McDonald, John C. Phelan, James A. Hearn, Fred Conley, Thomas J. Dervin, Miss Nellie G. Cullen, George Eagan, Joseph [illegible] Miss Nora Fannan, William Welch and Fred Pauls.

Over 400 guests were entertained by the Outlook Club at its annual guests' night this last week at the new club home for Lynn women. The evening was spent in dancing, followed by a social hour. Miss Grace B. Haseltine was hostess for the club, assisted by Miss Antoinette Power and Mrs. A. Florence Libby. Mrs. May L. Sheldon, president of the senior women's club, was the principal guest of honor. Mrs. Mary Chase had charge of the banquet hall. The ushers were Mrs. Sarah H. Webber, Mrs. [illegible] P. Bennett, Mrs. Lulian G. Harrison, Mrs. [illegible] Miss [illegible] Miss Bessie Baker, Miss Florence W[illegible] Miss [illegible] Evans, Miss Grace Cutts, Mrs. Mary F. Swan, Mrs. H. Louise Morgan, Mrs. Helen B. Blood, Miss Mabel W. Blake, Miss [illegible] Haley, Miss [illegible] Aspinwall, Miss [illegible] Miss Alice Haskell and Miss Mary Morse.

Mrs. Susanne W. Berry and her sister, Miss Ellen Wetherell of Lynn are making a tour of the large cities in the South to interview leaders in the suffragette movement. Letters received from them by their Lynn friends show that they have met with pleasing [illegible] They write that the sympathy for their movement, however, is not so strong South as in the New England States.

The women members of the Overlea Improvement Association [illegible] better streets among their [illegible] better street conditions in their neighborhood near the Peabody line. They plan to build a club home. Mrs. John Longley had charge of the supper given by the association last night to its members.

Miss Mildred Jeffrey will entertain to-morrow night the members of the T. S. O. Club at her home. At the last meeting of the members at the home of Miss Marguerite McLean a musical entertainment was given by Miss Doris Emery, Miss Pauline Pierce, Miss Hazel Cass, Miss Freda Bean, Miss Mabelle Leavitt, Miss Grace Chesley and Miss Mildred Jeffrey.

Several Lynn society girls joined last night in giving a masquerade party at the Oxford Club Hall for the benefit of the [illegible] Lynn Neighborhood House. In charge were Marguerite Hastings, Mary Townsend, Alice Black, Theodate Clough, Elizabeth Kimball, Mrs. Theodore Trebetts, Marion Hutchinson and Margaret Clough.

Members of the General Lander Woman's Relief Corps of Lynn are planning patriotic exercises for Washington's birthday to mark the 25th anniversary of the forming of their body. Mrs. Bertha Moore, the president, has general charge. The Lynn relief corps was entertained yesterday afternoon at the State headquarters in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Patrick McGovern observed the twenty-second anniversary of their marriage this last week by a wedding reception planned as a surprise to them by their many friends in West Lynn. In charge of the party were Miss Annie Harlen, Miss Elizabeth Golden and Miss Catherine Golden.

A good sum was derived from the concert held Thursday night at the Lynn Women's Club home for the benefit of the Associated Charities in Lynn. Prominent in the entertainment were Miss Louise Woollen, Mrs. A[illegible] M. Newhall, Albert M. Kaurick and Wilbur Arthur.

Captain James P. Martin, a well-known Lynn citizen, passed his eighty-third birthday this last week at the home of Mrs. James F. Breed, No. 9 Portland street. He was born in Charlestown and in his earlier life was engaged in the East India shipping trade.

Mrs. Annie L. Ashcroft had charge of the successful supper given this week at the First Congregational Church. Mrs. Edgar Copeland had charge of the church decorations. Attorney John A. O'Keefe gave a brief address on the proposed new city charter.

The Lynn Women's Club had as its special guests Tuesday afternoon the members of the Atalanta Club. Walter B. Tripp of Boston recited Shakespeare's "Henry the Fourth."

Miss Dorothy Woodis entertained the junior branch of the Chapter of the Third Plantation at her home yesterday afternoon on North Common street. Flag exercises were given.

The first rehearsal of the members of the Lynn Women's club will be held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Maud E. Burdette, No. 10 Ocean street.

Mrs. Maria Caldwell and daughter, Miss Myra, have arrived in Pasadena to spend the balance of the winter season on the Pacific coast.

Mrs. Passmore will be hostess for the members of the Quick Step Whist Club at her home, No. 347 Essex street, Tuesday evening.

BROCKTON.

Luncheon Club members, with their husbands as guests, were royally entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Tinkham, West Elm street. At the close of the dinner a Venetian novelty was given with striking effect. Bridge was played, the honors being taken by Mrs. Charles M. Park, Mrs. Tinkham, Dr. C. Ernest Perkins and Charles M. Park. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Earl P. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Farnum, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Park, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner T. Packard, Mr. and Mrs. Sanford K. Gurney, Dr. and Mrs. C. Ernest Perkins and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur H. Jenkins.

The Young Matrons' Club [illegible] a masquerade for the younger folk on March 18. The party is a gala event in the annals of the children and more elaborate preparations than ever [illegible] At the Court of Fame [illegible] Y. M. C. A. Hall.

The Elks ball this week was better than ever and eclipsed all others in this city this season. Nearly 150 couples were in the grand march and [illegible] Miss Alice W. [illegible] Whitman led the grand march. Miss Kane was adjudged the belle of the ball. Among other notables, Mayor Clifford was present.

Mrs. William P. Whitman of Main street was [illegible] annual [illegible] Fortnightly Club. About 100 were present. Mrs. Whitman was assisted in receiving by Mrs. John F. Aden, Mrs. J. Howard Field and Miss Lillian D. Leach. Robert Parker Miles, formerly an [illegible] of the New York dailies, spoke on "Tallow Tips."

Final arrangements have been made by Deborah Sampson Chapter, D. A. R., for the big meeting here tomorrow, when the State officers will be present. Regent Clara L. Atwood presided and announced the plans completed. Chapters from all over New England will be in attendance on that day and the local ladies hope to make the event a red-letter one.

At a meeting of the Ten Times One Club this week it was decided to hold a Colonial Tea on February 22. Mrs. W. B. Cross of Green street entertained and served a dainty luncheon. The ladies who serve will be attired in Colonial costume. Mrs. D. P. Kenney is in charge of the affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Baker of Plymouth gave a dinner party Thursday. Bridge followed the repast. Those from this city who attended were: Mrs. Charles M. Hathaway, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hathaway and Miss Anna Robbins of Dorchester.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Keith left Thursday for a six weeks' trip to the Pacific Coast. Mr. Keith and his young bride will stop at Seattle and from there go on to San Francisco, Los Angeles and Pasadena.

Ex-Gov. and Mrs. William L. Douglas of West Elm street left this week for Miami, Florida, to remain the rest of the winter. Mr. Douglas' yacht, "The Machigonne," will probably be sent down.

Mrs. J. W. Packard of this city was a guest this week of the Dorchester Woman's Club [illegible] annual guest night, when Charles J. Glidden spoke.

Miss Stella MacCracken will be hostess for the Brockton College Club on February 2. An elaborate program has been arranged.

CAMBRIDGE.

The installation of officers of the St. Mary's Total Abstinence Society was held Tuesday evening in the guild room. The officers were installed by the president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the Archdiocese of Boston, John F. Shea, and Mrs. Katherine A. Tilson [illegible] Rev. [illegible] pastor of St. Mary's Church and Rev. W. [illegible] Barry, spiritual director of the society. An entertainment was given and refreshments served.

The art class of the Cantabrigia Club met Friday afternoon. The subject was "Leonardo da Vinci." Wednesday afternoon Miss Marie Ba[illegible] will gave an interesting talk on "The Idylls of the King." The club meeting February 4 will be under the direction of the music department. Miss Emma [illegible] Noyes, soprano, will give a lecture recital of "Ancient and Modern Italian Songs," arranged in chronological order.

The Sheridan Athletic Club, which has quarters in Cedar Hall, North Cambridge, will hold a smoke talk Tuesday evening, February 1. The committee in charge of the arrangements is President Cornelius Kane, Joseph Walsh, George Rooney, B. McKay, Gus Quist, Charles Woods, [illegible] Peter Coyne, Frank Devine and Dennis Sullivan.

All arrangements for the grand parish reunion of St. John's Catholic Church, North Cambridge, to be held in Odd Fellows' Hall, Monday evening, January 31, are complete. The concert program has been arranged by Rev. Fr. William Murphy and Organist McGoldrick. Whist will be played, dancing enjoyed and refreshments served.

A charity ball will be held in Institute Hall, East Cambridge, Friday evening, February 4, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Charitable Association and for the benefit of the Free Home for Consumptives. Whist will be played from 8 to 10.30 o'clock and will be followed by dancing.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of Cambridge Council No. 74, Knights of Columbus, was held Monday evening in Cambridge Upper Hall, Cambridgeport. Rev. Father Gasson, president of Boston College, delivered a talk on "Joan of Arc," which was illustrated by stereopticon.

WELL KNOWN IN SOCIAL AFFAIRS OF DISTRICTS

MISS MAE CAREY

MISS ALICE COLLINS

The Father Mathew Total Abstinence Society will observe its sixtieth anniversary reunion and ball, in Institute Hall, East Cambridge, Tuesday evening, February 1. Among the speakers will be Rev. James E. [illegible] of Fall River and John T. Shea of the Archdiocesan.

Division No. 45, Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., held its annual dancing party in St. Peter's Hall, Concord avenue, Friday evening. A feature of the evening was an exhibition of floor work by the Natick Ladies' Degree Team. Dancing followed the installation.

The Harmony Outing Club of East Cambridge held its annual ball in Institute Hall Monday evening. A social feature was the King Louis March, led by President William McMennman and Miss Josephine Lawson.

The Schumann Instrumental Quartet gave a concert at the North Avenue Baptist Church, North Cambridge, under the auspices of the Men's Club of the church.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of St. John's Literary Institute held its annual dancing party in Institute Hall, East Cambridge, Thursday evening.

Agassiz Council, No. 45, Royal Arcanum, will hold a "ladies' night" in Odd Fellows' Hall, North Cambridge, Thursday evening, February 10.

Division No. 13, Ladies' Auxiliary, A. O. H., held its annual installation of officers Monday evening in Fraternity Hall, North Cambridge.

The ladies of the North Avenue Congregational Church held a food sale in the vestry of the church yesterday from 3 to 5 P. M.

The Columbia Athletic Club will hold a dancing party in Odd Fellows' Hall, North Cambridge, Monday evening, February 7.

The first concert and ball of the Seneca Social Club was held in Institute Hall, East Cambridge, Wednesday night.

SALEM.

The Essex Congregational Club held its annual meeting in Salem Monday evening. The following were elected: President, the Rev. Charles H. Williams, Gloucester; vice-president, Calvin R. Washburn, Salem; secretary, Daniel P. Marvall, Gloucester; treasurer, J. Clifford Entwistle, Salem; executive committee, the Rev. George L. Parker, Salem, the Rev. John W. Barnet, Marblehead, John S. Learoyd, Danvers, Albert F. Robinson, Peabody, and George L. Peabody, Salem; outlook committee, the Rev. Louis H. Rugg, Manchester, [illegible] Beverly [illegible] and William S. Hazen, Beverly.

The Al Van Haven Club conducted an enjoyable dancing party in Odell Hall Wednesday evening. The committee in charge were Edward A. McG[illegible] [illegible] Fred D. Entremont and Edward Kirby.

Juniper Dorferein held another successful whist social at the club house Monday evening. The honors were captured by Mrs. J. A. Dunn, Mrs. [illegible] George Dunn and Albert N. Farley.

The Salem Society for the Higher Education of Women was entertained at the home of Mrs. Dewitt S. Clark Friday afternoon.

MARBLEHEAD.

Prominent society folk will present the two-act drama "Among the Breakers," in Abbott Hall, Wednesday evening, under the auspices of Samuel Tucker Council [illegible] Those in the cast are Misses Elsie May Perry, Marion Devereux, Alice Bartlett, Anne May Litchman, Mary Knight Williams, William H. Day, Jr., Andrew M. Stone, Horace [illegible] Harold S. Bartlett, George N. Dennis, Howard W. Phillips.

Mrs. Florence L. Hayward of Winthrop installed the following officers of the Mary E. Graves Aux[illegible] Tuesday evening: President, Mrs. Eliza Gleason; vice-presidents, Miss Lena Pierce and Mrs. Carrie Pettis; chaplain, Mrs. Annie Dixey; conductors, Mrs. Harriet B. Carr, Mrs. Frank Pritchard; guards, Mrs. Felton and Marie Woolridge; color bearers, Mrs. Elizabeth Dolliber and Mrs. Mary [illegible].

The senior class of the High School conducted a successful dancing party in Abbott Hall Friday evening.

Mrs. Perley Sanborn entertained the Women's Alliance of the Unitarian Church Monday evening.

MANCHESTER.

The officers of Liberty Lodge, D. of R., have been installed as follows: N. G., Mrs. Alice Lee; V. G., Miss Jennie Sargent; R. S., Mrs. Clara Sargent; F. S., Mrs. Emma Stanley; T., Mrs. Rebecca Sargent; W., Mrs. Lizzie Sowles; C., G. P. Cole; O. G., Miss Ethel Diarmid; I. G., Mrs. Grace Bell.

Thomas Dow, who has been spending the week with relatives in town, has returned to East Kingston, N. H.

Mrs. Jennie McGregor of Boston has been the recent guest of Mrs. E. B. Lethbridge at the "Roost."

Robert Baker and son, Robert, are on a three weeks' trip to New York and Philadelphia.

WAKEFIELD.

The Bridge whist club was entertained last week by Mrs. Richard G. Hartshorne of Chestnut street. The [illegible] winners were Miss Etta Smith and Mrs. Ralph F. Carlisle. The next meeting of the club, February 2, will be with Miss Etta Smith.

The business meeting of the Catholic Club, scheduled for this week has been postponed to February 7, when a business meeting and a social meeting will be held for members only.

Mrs. Richard A. Cosman of Wakefield Junction, who has been visiting in Brooklyn, N. Y., since Christmas, returned to her home the first of the week.

Miss Marjorie Bunker opened her home on Lawrence street the first of the week for a social evening to the members of the Sans Souci Club.

READING.

At the solicitation of her many friends here in town Miss Elizabeth Amsden, the talented young singer who went for a musical education in Europe several years ago, has consented to appear in concert before a Reading audience, probably the middle of February. She will be assisted by one of the members of the Manhattan Opera Company of New York.

A social event of special interest to the children will be the Children's Valentine Masquerade in Masonic Hall on February 12 under the auspices of the Unity Club of the Christian Union Church.

The members of the Decimal Club spent a social evening Monday at the home of Mrs. Helen M. Brown. In the afternoon Mrs. Brown had as her guests the members of the Associated Charities.

The officers of Enterprise Rebekah Lodge, by invitation, attended the installation of officers and supper of Winning Rebekah lodge of Billerica, Monday evening.

DORCHESTER.

Tomorrow evening the first annual dancing party of the Brinkley Girls will take place in Gibson Hall, Gibson street, Dorchester. The members of the club are Katherine Sherman, president; Laura Hurlbut, vice-president; Serena "Tel" Brady, secretary, and Catherine Brady, treasurer. The officers of the dance will be Katherine Sherman, floor director; Laura Hurlbut, assistant floor director, and Catherine Brady, chief of aids. The aids are Serena "Tel" Brady, Catherine Scully, Edna Taylor and Hattie Wheaton. The girls have planned an original "Brinkley Dance" to the strains of "Sweet Nell Brinkley Dance" [illegible]

The Augusta Club held a very pretty dancing party in Wheelock Hall, Upham's Corner, Monday evening. The following were in charge: Josephine Callahan, floor director; Sadie Durgin and Catherine Lynch, assistant floor directors, and Helen Dowd, chief of aids; Anna Coleman, Rose Gallagher, Margaret Minahan, Nettie Murray, Julia Murphy, Helen Murphy, May Callahan, Veronica Donovan, May McDermott, Alice McGregor, Lena Leary, Katherine Dennis, Gertrude Lynch, Mollie Fouhy, Helen McDermott, Annie Walsh and Ann Marie [illegible]

The third annual dancing party of the [illegible] will take place Monday evening, February 7, in Bloomfield Hall [illegible] committee in charge consists of Edward W[illegible] James Murphy, Edward Murphy, David O'Neil, William Blake, John Hughes, Frank L. Needham, Timothy O'Toole and William Brady. The young women's committee contains the names of Miss Gertrude Webber, Miss Anna [illegible] Miss Mollie Murphy, Miss Annie O'Brien, Miss Jennie Lyons, Miss Susie Devlin and Miss Kitty Mulroy.

Wednesday evening the young people of Dorchester greatly enjoyed the annual dancing party of the "Speed Boys," at Navallus Hall, on Bowdoin street. The committee in charge was John J. O'Connell, president; Albert E. Mullen, vice-president; Frank G. Doherty, secretary; William White, treasurer, and James J. Burns, chairman of the large reception committee. The proceeds of the dance will go towards the fitting out of a baseball team to represent the club the coming season.

At a recent meeting called in G. A. R. Hall, Park street, Charles T. Simpson, patriotic instructor of the Benjamin Stone Jr. Post 68, Mrs. Francis H. [illegible] patriotic instructor of the Women's Relief Corps No. 68, Miss Margaret Neilson, patriotic instructor of the Daughters of Veterans Tent 1, and Henry Thomas, patriotic instructor of the Nathaniel Bowditch Camp 30, Sons of Veterans, met to formulate plans for the annual celebration of Lincoln's Birthday.

One of the successes of the season was the dancing party given in Bloomfield Hall last Friday evening by the Dorchester Social and Literary Club. The committee in charge was composed of Albert Hickey, president; Thomas Hoey, vice-president; Mortimer McCue, Thomas Fitzgerald, Walter Bird, Richard Wall, John F. Noonan, Charles Doherty and Myer Murnane.

The evenings of February 4 and 5, a comedy entitled "The Brothers" will be given at Jordan Hall by a number of Boston newspaper writers. Miss E. M. McCormack, Miss Alice O'Brien, Miss Minnie Howe, Miss Sadie Eslale, Miss Helen McCarthy, Joseph Gately, Walter Shea, Edgar Riley and Martin H. Toohy will attend from Dorchester.

The evening of February 7, the Bachelor Girls' Club will hold its first dancing party in Navallus Hall, on Bowdoin street. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Helen Allerby, president; Catherine O'Neil, Winnie McDonald, treasurer; Helen Ballou, Mary Cook, Annie Allerby and Alice McDonald.

The Dorchester Daughters of Maine held their meeting Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Clara Marriman, 96 Bowdoin street. Among those present were Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Mary L. Dodge, Mrs. George Davenport, Mrs. Gridley, Mrs. Ella Coburn, Mrs. Ruth Hillbrand and Mrs. Charles Grant.

The Wanderers are completing the necessary arrangements for their dancing party to take place in Bloomfield Hall, Geneva avenue, the evening of May 6. The committee in charge of the party is David Nolan, president; John Nolan, Richard Garvey and John Grinnell.

The Dorchester A. A. held a meeting at its rooms Wednesday evening and voted to hold the annual May party at Bloomfield Hall. The committee to take charge of the affair will be selected by Myer Murnane, the president, the coming week.

The third annual sunlight dancing party of the Sagamores will take place Washington's Birthday, in Wheelock Hall, Upham's Corner.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stearns, on Granger street, Thursday evening, they entertained a number of their friends.

CHARLESTOWN.

If the plans of the members of the Veteran Firemen's Association are carried out, a gala time commemorative of the birth of George Washington will be held at the rooms of the organization, February 22. The program contemplated includes a banquet and on the list of speakers will be some of the foremost men connected with Fire Departments throughout the State.

To boom the district and give an impetus to trade is the intention of the local Improvement Association. Plans will be mapped out at the next meeting and committees composed of men conversant with such projects will be appointed. This is in keeping with the recommendation of President Fales.

Councilman-elect Buckley will be tendered a reception by the United Irish County Clubs of the district of which he is a member, to-day. A special musical program of Irish airs will be one of the features and addresses by a number of the high officers will mark the literary program.

Edward M. Gallagher of the Bunker Hill district is receiving the congratulations of the residents for the able manner in which he is conducting the affairs of the Pauper Institutions department of which he is the head. He has inaugurated many improvements in the department.

The parlor in the home of Joseph L. Daisy of Charlestown is decorated with a new life-sized picture of himself, the gift of a number of men connected with an organization in the market district of which he is a member.

Congratulations are being showered on Rupert S. Carven, a well known resident of this district, on his success in passing the examination of the State Bank Commissioners for the position of Registered Public Accountant.

When Representative John J. Hayes and his bride return from their honeymoon they will reside at Hotel Salem and will be at home to their friends next month.

GLOUCESTER.

The High School classes have selected the following candidates for the annual prize speaking contest: Seniors, Jessie Wykes, Forrest Maddix, Harold Coffin, Henry Full and Marjorie Stanwood, alternate; juniors, Helen [illegible] Beulah King, and S. Augustus Linnekin, alternate; sophomores, Katherine Heckman, Raymond Norwood and James Spongale and Margaret Diggins, alternates; freshmen, Gertrude Reynolds, and Dorothy George [illegible] alternates.

A joint installation of officers of St. Ann's Court and Abraham Lincoln Court, M. C. O. F., was held Tuesday evening at Brown's Hall, the installing officers being District Deputy High Chief Ranger David A. Roche of Salem and Mrs. Mary Finegan of the same city.

Company G was officially inspected Tuesday evening by Captain J. C. Jenks, U. S. A., and was accompanied by Major William Perry, Captain H. B. Knowles and Lieutenant C. A. Cahill, officers of the eighth infantry, M. V. M.

John A. Radcliffe is in Washington, D. C., where he has been called on special business. Mrs. Radcliffe is the guest of friends in Reading, Pa.

Mrs. J. W. Raymond of Boston has been the recent guest of Miss Annie E. Parsons.

ROCKPORT.

Fancy booth—Miss Maggie A. Dwyer, matron; aids, Mrs. Albert W. Lane, Mrs. Loring Grimes, Mrs. Albert W. Tarr, Mrs. Joseph Leman, Mrs. Mary Cooney, Sheahan, Mrs. Alpheus Goodwin, Mrs. Charles H. Cleaves, Mrs. Fred Hiller, Mrs. William Wordsworth, Mrs. Frederick H. Tarr, Mrs. George A. Stone, Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Alonzo L. Whitney, Mrs. George W. Frost, Mrs. Eugene Brown, Mrs. Frank A. Babcock, Miss Annie Pierce, Miss Mary H. O'Hearne, Miss Emma F. Cleaves, Miss Minnie G. Johnson, Mrs. J. Leonard Johnson, Miss Annie Nelson, Selima.

Twenty-five cent booth—Mrs. Louis A. Rogers, matron; aids, Mrs. C. Harry Rogers, Mrs. Sumner D. York, Mrs. Levi Cleaves, Mrs. J. M. Marshall, Mrs. J. K. Beede, Mrs. George McDaniles, Mrs. L. E. Smith, Mrs. Howard Goldsmith, Mrs. Rebecca F. Wheeler, Mrs. Eli Gott, Miss Sadie Butman, Miss Lizzie Butman, Mrs. Sophronia M. Lowe, Mrs. Walter W. Campbell, Miss Louise Haeberle.

Cake booth—Mrs. Martin J. Dunn, matron; aids, Miss Mary E. Bartlett, Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. A. E. Tuck, Mrs. Edwin H. York, Mrs. A. R. Woolford, Mrs. George P. Sargent.

Grabs—Mrs. Alice Frisbee and Mrs. Ernest Nelson. This was arranged in a unique way, a pair of sand being used, in which the grabs were placed.

SOMERVILLE.

The newly elected officers of the Ward One Republican Club are Benjamin F. Freeman, president; Amasa E. Southworth, first vice-president; Fred L. Coburn, second vice-president; Thomas L. Davis, third vice-president; Edward R. Hyde, treasurer; John Largart, secretary; George F. Patten, assistant secretary. The club at its last meeting, through Chairman C. F. Wilds of the Library Committee, made a progressive report, showing that a large number of people in the East Somerville section had signed the petition for better library service in Somerville.

Hundreds of residents of this district will attend the second performance of the amateur musical production to be given at Jordan Hall, Huntington avenue, Boston, February 5 by the "Scribblers." The "Scribblers" is an organization of newspaper men and they have designated this date "Somerville Night." Among the young women of the district who will participate are the Misses Mae and Anna Mahoney of Oak street, Miss Ella Swanson of Stone avenue and Miss Josephine Hayward of Washington street.

Miss Meriam Hillson of No. 25 Grant street and Benjamin Morse, a prominent Boston business man, who were married at the Temple Ohavi Shalom, in Boston, by Rabbi Eichler recently, are spending their honeymoon on a trip to Niagara Falls, Washington and other cities. On their return they will reside in Cambridge and will be at home to their friends in March.

Miss Clarissa Pierce and Christopher T. O'Neill are spending their honeymoon visiting Western cities. They will be at home on their return at No. 12 [illegible] street.

SOUTH BOSTON.

The Gate of Heaven Club is planning to make this year's production, which has been christened "The Alderman," eclipse all past efforts of the organization. The [illegible] comedy [illegible] a number of dancing specialties and several mechanical novelties. The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of Francis J. Daly, chairman; James A. Lynch, Patrick J. Hurley, Robert A. [illegible] John Y. Cahal, James H. Nolan, John J. Murphy, Edward R. [illegible] Michael H. [illegible] Performances will be given on the evenings of February 21 and 22. The third of the whist series of the club was held last week in the room at Pilgrim Hall. William Bresen, Thomas Cunningham, Fred Hanlon, Mrs. [illegible] Miss Lawes, Miss Murray won prizes.

Arthur J. Martin and William J. Curtis, two prominent young business men of the district, were surprised last week [illegible] escorted to [illegible] Hall [illegible] presented with a handsome [illegible]

Mrs. Alice W[illegible] of 24 [illegible] street [illegible] money reward from the [illegible] medal was for the heroic [illegible] Matthew Walsh [illegible] a [illegible] in a sewer [illegible] East Boston last [illegible] Walsh was overcome by sewer gas and died.

James H. Mahoney, head of the English department at the local high school, is chairman of the school decoration committee of the Boston Home and School Association. Head Master A. D. Small is a member of the anti-cigarette committee. Miss Katherine J. McMahon is secretary of the Thomas N. Hart Parent [illegible]

At the regular meeting of Major M. J. O'Connor Camp, No. [illegible] U. S. W. V., held last week in the hall at the corner of Dorchester and West Fourth streets, James R. [illegible] well known author and [illegible] and a member of the [illegible] battleship Maine.

Edward [illegible] addressed the members of the [illegible] Wednesday evening, February 2. Mr. [illegible] and the work of the Massachusetts Relief Committee.

Cornelius Collins of Glenmore House, Newcastle West, near Limerick, Ire., has been visiting in this country and is now the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Hartnett at their home on East Broadway.

City Point Lodge, N. E. O. P., which was instituted about a month ago, is growing rapidly in membership. Mrs. Nellie W[illegible] has been in charge of the organizing of the lodge.

Arrangements have been [illegible] for the thirty-sixth annual ball of the [illegible] Lyceum of this district, which will be held at Catholic Union Hall tomorrow night.

A concert and dance on the seventeenth anniversary of the [illegible] will be held in Hibernian Hall, E and Silver streets, Monday evening, February 7.

William Bailey of the Tuohy Associates has returned from Maine, where he spent several weeks recuperating from a recent illness.

Mrs. Emma J. Ryan of Syracuse, N. Y., has been [illegible] Miss Dora W[illegible] of Dorchester street.

WALTHAM.

There were 150 dancers at the fourth annual ball of Waltham Lodge, B. P. O. E., Tuesday evening. The floor was in charge of John J. Mooney and he was assisted by Timothy J. Sullivan, Ralph Bold, Edward Pepper, Theodore Walcott, Thomas [illegible] C. A. Coolidge. The reception committee was Horace C. Twigg, Dr. Frank Harris, A. P. Howe, Samuel J. Titofsky, Dr. Frank H. Doyle, S. E. Allen, Thomas Ford, Thomas J. Sullivan, Clinton A. Coolidge, Charles W. Sewall, James H. McKenna, Jr.

A select dancing class is that recently formed by the residents of the Piety Corner district. The classes are to be held Tuesday afternoons in the assembly hall of the New Church School.

District Deputy Grand Master L. W. Burke of Somerville installed the recently elected officers of Prospect Lodge of Odd Fellows Tuesday evening.

Many guests were entertained by the Woman's Club at its Gentlemen's Night Tuesday evening.

PLANS FOR SOCIAL.

Elaborate plans are being made by the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the archdiocese of Boston and the forty-five societies connected with it for the entertainment, whist and dancing party in Copley Hall, Clarendon street, Monday evening, February 7. Each branch society is represented on the list of sub-committees. There has been a big demand for tickets, as this will be one of the last of the important social events before Lent.

The committee is President John T. Shea of Cambridge; Mrs. Catherine Tilson and Lawrence F. Murphy of Boston; John T. Kilduff, Patrick D. Walsh and Thomas F. Phelan of Roxbury, Maurice Dineen of Malden; Thomas Linehan and Miss Annie McSweeney of Quincy; Miss Annie C. Graves and Miss Annie Cunniff of Roxbury.

At the last convention of the union it was voted to donate the proceeds of the affair to the fund being collected to defray the expenses of the national convention to be held in Boston next August under the auspices of the combined societies.

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SPLENDID GALAXY OF STARS GIVES BOSTON AN UNUSUAL BILL OF DRAMATIC VIANDS

Maude Adams, Sothern and Marlowe, Marie Tempest, Jefferson De Angelis, Edith Talliaferro, William Hodge and Bert Williams Form Collection of Stage Talent Seldom Gathered at One Time in Any City.

By FELIX ST. CLAIR.

BOSTON is favored just now by the presence of several of the greatest stars in the theatrical firmament and the constellation will receive a distinguished addition to-morrow night when Maude Adams begins an engagement at the Hollis in "What Every Woman Knows." It is not often outside of New York that such artists as Maude Adams, Sothern and Marlowe and Marie Tempest perfect. And in addition, there are William Hodge and Etta Proctor Otis, Jeff De Angelis and Edith Talliaferro and that remarkable colored comedian Bert Williams.

Sothern and Marlowe at the Shubert will play "Hamlet" to-morrow night and "Romeo and Juliet" and "Twelfth Night" later in the week.

Miss Tempest begins her second week in "Penelope" at the Colonial. Jefferson De Angelis and "The Beauty Spot" will remain a fortnight at the Majestic.

"The Girl from Rector's" at the Boston will flit at the end of the coming week. Bert Williams and "Mr. Lode of Koal" remain for another week at the Globe.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" and William Hodge in "The Man from Home" continue at the Tremont and Park.

"QUINCY ADAMS SAWYER" AT GRAND.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer," with the company which gave the piece at the Boston Theatre two seasons ago, comes to the Grand Opera. "Are You a Mason?" with [illegible] at the Castle Square. The American Music Hall presents James J. Corbett, monologist and trainer of Jeffries, while the Old Howard [illegible] present with Sullivan and Kilrain.

Keith's adds Orchids to the La Loie Fuller Ballet of Light, and offers Jesky Lasky's "At the Waldorf."

Want to see a burlesque show? There are four burlesque houses, Gaiety, Columbia, Casino and Howard, with new shows, a long and varied bill of fare suited to all tastes.

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The riddle of "What Every Woman Knows" is answered by Barrie, the playwright [illegible] the piece and his solution, though whimsical, is evidently [illegible]. Those who have seen the piece believe that "What Every Woman Knows" is that man is a fool, idiot and likewise chump. Maude Adams [illegible] plain to the satisfaction of the feminine portion of the audience at least.

The last time that Maude Adams came to Boston she encased her charming personality in a suit of armor and tried to make her sweet voice resound through the Harvard Stadium, attuned to the bellows of football rooters. On a milk-white steed she led hundreds of troops to battle in the most gorgeous spectacle ever presented in America. Maude Adams is not playing the Martyr of France, Joan of Arc, any more. In "What Every Woman Knows" she is a plain little domestic martyr—a martyr to the egotism of a hulking brute of a husband.

The versatility of this quiet little woman is really astounding. From the mischevious Lady Babbie of "The Little Minister" she turned to throw down the gauntlet to Sarah Bernhardt by appearing as "L'Aiglon." Then she created that strange elfish sprite, "Peter Pan." Back to petticoats in "Quality Street" and "What Every Woman Knows," and there is no fathoming to what she will aspire next.

"What Every Woman Knows" deals with a little Scotch girl who is married off by her three brothers to a deserving young man. The latter is ambitious to become great. His shy, timid, bashful wife takes him in hand and puts into his head the ideas which bring him recognition as a statesman. Never for a minute does he give his wife credit for his success, but treats her with contempt, and at one time considers seriously eloping with another woman. However, he is restored to his senses in time for the final curtain.

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THE PRESS AGENT TOLD THIS ONE.

"I guess I'll have two seats," remarked a man with long whiskers, shoving a bill through the window at the new Shubert.

"What performance?" asked the ticket seller. "You know Sothern and Marlowe are playing repertory."

"Well, that will do."

"What will do?"

"Repertory. I never saw that play."

Don't shoot! John Luce, the press agent of the Shubert, says this story is true. I think it has whiskers as long as the man who wanted to buy the tickets. Sothern and Marlowe this week are playing "Hamlet," "Romeo and Juliet" and "Twelfth Night." Playing repertory isn't any cinch, especially if the repertory is Shakespeare. Shakespearean actors are very hard to get. Most actors cannot play Shakespeare and more don't want to. It is too much like work to learn six or eight Shakespearean roles and have them ready for performance at any time. The ideal role to the average actor is a part in a play that runs two years. "Once a year is often enough to learn a new part," so managers in search of Shakespearean material are told. But the finished performances and capable company at the Shubert demonstrate that there are many actors who love their art.

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"Have you seen 'The Beauty Spot?'" asked a friend of mine, depositing himself on my desk and preparing to make a bore of himself.

"Yes, I've seen it. Good show. Why?"

"Because Jeff De Anegils has a part that I wouldn't mind playing. I don't know that you noticed it, but I made an accurate count, and during the progress of the piece Jeff distributes thirty-eight kisses among fifteen girls, all of them pretty."

"Well, they are stage kisses."

DE ANGELIS KNOWS HOW TO KISS.

"Stage kisses nothing. They are good, old-fashioned, resounding smacks. You know I have been looking for years for one of those Summer resorts you see on the stage, where you can kiss half a dozen girls in succession and nobody thinks it even unusual."

"Is that all you saw at 'The Beauty Spot'?"

"Oh, no. The music is catchy and the girls are pretty, and Frank Doane is certainly a funny nigger. But I would like to have Jeff's job."

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There is no denying the popularity of "The Girl from Rector's." When a farce comedy in three scenes, built for a small theatre, can be placed in a huge playhouse like the Boston and jam it to the doors with respectable-looking people—average theatregoers—what's the use of criticising it?

If the public didn't patronize it the managers would deposit it in the scrapheap. It has been well advertised and the character of its humor is widely known. None of the respectable citizens who enabled the Boston Theatre to do one of the biggest week's business in its history was laboring under the delusion that he was going to witness a Sunday school play. They were informed by newspaper critics last Tuesday that about all it had to recommend it was its impropriety. Evidently that is all it needs.

"The Girl from Rector's" is a reasonably funny farce for three acts—and, by the way, farces are seldom longer. A fourth act has been added, apparently for the sole purpose of exploiting a grossly improper situation which has little to do with the action of the piece.

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SULLIVAN VS. CORBETT ONCE AGAIN.

Eighteen years ago John L. Sullivan came into contact with the fist of James J. Corbett in such manner that he lost consciousness for a brief period, and when he woke up the Corbett person had his title of champion of the world. Eleven years ago James J. Corbett came to grief in the same manner at the hands of Bob Fitzsimmons. The reason for this history is that both ex-pugs are now eminent actors and will appear upon the boards of two Boston theatres during the coming week.

In the days of the gladiators the spectators turned their thumbs down and the [illegible] compelled to slay the vanquished. In this way Roman audiences avoided the inevitable explanation from the loser that he was drugged or out of condition, and the Roman theatre was preserved for exponents of the classic drama.

To-day, however, a dethroned champion can count upon the theatre for his livelihood. He can get into the limelight as a fistic authority whenever a big fight is projected, and he can issue challenges without fear of the challenged paying any attention to him. After starring in melodrama for a few years some of them actually become good actors and then they get along on their merits. Corbett, at the American Music Hall, is said to be a very clever monologist, while John L., at the Howard, has a fund of natural humor which makes him always interesting.

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The manager of a New Orleans theatre where Mrs. Fiske has just finished an engagement has been heavily fined for permitting child actors to appear in her production. In Massachusetts violations of the child labor laws are likely to be punished severely. The theatrical managers declare that no harm comes to a child from stage appearances, and very likely they are right. It seems to me, however, that stringent rules regarding child actors are in the interest of the audience. The child actor is an unmitigated nuisance. During the time he is saying his lines the auditors suffer the same strained sensation that they experience when school children are speaking their pieces—a fear that they may break down.

There are few clever child actors—most of them recite their lines in a sing-song manner, and there are fewer clever child parts than there are actors. Lines given to children are usually tiresome, and plays in which they are allotted [illegible] are apt to bore frightfully. There are notable exceptions as regards plays, but when you see a wonderfully inteligent child actor the chances are that you are watching a dwarf. The bright child in "A Fool There Was" is a Lilliputian.

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Let us consider the English accent—not that vulgar evasion of aspirates which marks the Cockney, nor the Yorkshireman's burr or the Cornwall patois, but that wonderful accent which is the mark of the cultured Englishman and which is beyond the powers of many American actors to imitate. The English accent is to be found in its most luxuriant form at the Colonial Theatre this week where Marie Tempest is presenting that delightful comedy "Penelope." Miss Tempest's company was imported from London, and the latest things in waistcoats (vests), ties, cravats and Bond street suitings are to be enjoyed, in addition to the English accent and the excellent acting.

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Poor little Lotta Faust! She fought her way upward from the very bottom of the ladder and when she had begun to enjoy the fruits of success she was called away. Miss Faust began her stage career less than ten years ago and first saw her name on the program in Denman Thompson's "Sunshine of Paradise Alley," which played a long engagement at the Tremont Theatre. In this almost forgotten play, inspired by a popular song long since buried, she was a principal by courtesy. She had no lines, but did a little solo dance in the wharf scene. Before she joined the "Sunshine" she had been a cash girl in a New York department store. She made her way by ability and would have gone far.

Fara Kendall, who also passed away during the week, died full of years and honors. Lotta Faust was hardly more than a girl.

SOME STARS PLAYING AT THE BOSTON THEATRES THIS WEEK

MARIE TEMPEST AT THE COLONIAL

VIOLA GILLETTE AT THE MAJESTIC

BESSIE CLIFFORD AT KEITH'S

MADELEINE LOUIS AT THE PARK

JULIA MARLOWE AND E. H. SOTHERN AT THE SHUBERT

MAUDE ADAMS AT THE HOLLIS ST.

NELLA WEBB AT THE BOSTON

THEA LEIGHTNER BOWDOIN SQUARE

VIOLET MERSEREAU TREMONT

PLAYS OF THE WEEK AT BOSTON THEATRES.

AMERICAN MUSIC HALL—James J. Corbett, R. A. Roberts and vaudeville.

BOSTON—"The Girl from Rector's."

BOWDOIN SQUARE—Vaudeville and pictures.

CASINO—High Rollers.

CASTLE SQUARE — "Are You a Mason?"

COLONIAL—Marie Tempest in "Penelope."

COLUMBIA—Empire Burlesquers.

GAIETY—Columbia Burlesquers.

GLOBE—Bert Williams in "Mr. Lode of Koal."

GRAND OPERA HOUSE — "Quincy Adams Sawyer."

HOLLIS—Maud Adams in "What Every Woman Knows."

HOWARD ATHENAEUM—John L. Sullivan and vaudeville.

KEITH'S—Orchidee and "Ballet of Light" and vaudeville.

MAJESTIC—Jefferson De Angelis in "The Beauty Spot."

PARK—William Hodge in "The Man from Home."

SHUBERT—Sothern and Marlowe in repertoire.

TREMONT—"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm."

BILLS AT BOSTON THEATRES

Hollis.

Miss Maud Adams, than whom no more popular actress ever comes to Boston, will begin a brief engagement at the Hollis Street Theatre to-morrow night in "What Every Woman Knows." Miss Adams has not visited Boston for two years except for the Stadium performance of "Joan of Arc" last Summer, as "What Every Woman Knows" was such a success in New York that the management kept it there for more than a year. The piece is by J. M. Barrie, who wrote "The Little Minister," "Peter Pan" and other celebrated plays for Miss Adams. She will be supported by a very capable company.

Grand Opera House.

"Quincy Adams Sawyer," that remarkably successful dramatization of Charles Felton Pigeon's novel, which has been on the boards for several seasons, [illegible] to the Grand Opera House [illegible]. It is presented by a cast [illegible] excellence.

Keith's.

Orchidee is added to Loie Fuller's Ballet of Light, which begins its third week. Jesse Lasky's musical comedy "At the Waldorf," company of twenty; Clifford and Burke, Charles and Fanny Van, Ed Morton, etc.

American Music Hall.

R. A. Roberts in "Cruel Coppinger;" James J. Corbett in a monologue. Austin Brothers, Tambo and Tambo, Pellitier and Messenger in imitations, etc. Corbett will tell how he will train Jeffries and relate humorous incidents of his pugilistic career.

Castle Square.

That roaring old time farce comedy, "Are You a Mason?" will succeed Shakespeare's tragedy at the Castle Square. John Craig, Mary Young and other members of the popular stock company will take the leading roles in the piece, which never fails to amuse.

Shubert.

"Hamlet" will be presented by the Sothern-Marlowe Company at the Shubert to-morrow night. The Hamlet of Sothern and Ophelia of Marlowe are familiar to Bostonians. Monday and Tuesday, "Hamlet"; Wednesday and Thursday nights, "Romeo and Juliet"; Friday night and Saturday matinee and night, "Twelfth Night."

Colonial.

Miss Marie Tempest begins her second week in "Penelope." The wonderful personality of this little woman is most admirably fitted by the quaint comedy, and the capable London company which supports her assures the spectator of an enjoyable time. The first week was very successful.

Majestic.

Jefferson De Angelis never had a funnier part than in "The Beauty Spot." The delightful music, the pretty girls and the comedy element have drawn great audiences to the Majestic during the past week. Viola Gillette and Isabelle De Ormond contribute to the enjoyment.

Boston.

"The Girl from Rector's," that bewitching and frivolous lady, has enthralled great audiences during the past week. Etta Proctor Otis and the other funmakers will be at the Boston for the coming week only as bookings compel the withdrawal of the piece.

Globe

Bert Williams and his company in "Mr. Lode of Koal" are making a big hit at the Globe and are demonstrating that colored comedians can be just as funny as white ones. The big chorus and singing ensemble of this company assist in its success.

Tremont.

"Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" is still at the Tremont and is more popular than ever. Edith Taliaferro and the other little comediennes would assure the success of a piece not so intrinsically worthy as the Kate Douglas Wiggin play.

Park.

William Hodge in "The Man from Home," at the Park, continues to attract big audiences, who appreciate the lesson of the play and are charmed with its delightful atmosphere.

Columbia.

Empire Burlesquers, a snappy show by clever people. Tom McRae and Cora White lead in the funmaking. A big olio.

Waldron's Casino.

The High Rollers come to Waldron's Casino this week. An A No. 1 show, full of comedy. The bargain matinees for women are attracting wide attention.

Howard.

John L. Sullivan, assisted by his sparring partner, Jake Kilrain, and lecturer, Frank Hall, will be the big features this week at the Howard. There will also be seen the famous fight pictures of the Johnson Ketchel contest and olio.

Gaiety.

One of the best attractions during the season at the Gaiety Theatre will be the Columbia Burlesquers, who will introduce some new and entertaining acts [illegible] and two enjoyable burlesques [illegible] "Vacation Days" and [illegible] with "The $10,000 Prize."

Bowdoin Square.

A big program, including Harry Montague's Fashion Plates, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hussey, Morgan and West, Von Harding, Theo Leighton, etc.

Hub.

The Great Wedimere, hypnotist, in wonderful demonstrations of mind over matter, heads this week's [illegible] the Hub Theatre. It is a clean, big vaudeville and picture bill.

Comique.

The Comique will offer this week several [illegible] in moving pictures interpreted by [illegible] Stock Company. New [illegible] other features.

COMING EVENTS

After its long run at the Broadway Theatre, New York, "The Midnight Sons," the mammoth Lew Fields production, comes here for the first time at the Shubert Theatre beginning Monday, February 7. The play, which is a series of [illegible] stage pictures and music, is in eight scenes. Glen MacDonough stands sponsor for the book and Raymond Hubbell the music. The story, which, by the way, has difficulty in keeping pace with the [illegible] musical numbers and interpolated [illegible] of four [illegible] of Seats [illegible] Novels [illegible] house [illegible] ers [illegible] Lotta Faust, [illegible] bert, George Monroe, George A. Sidler, Joseph N. Ratliff, Harry Fisher, [illegible] Miley, Florence Martin, Helen Beckwith and others.

J. F. Dodson, who will appear in "The House Next Door," a new comedy by J. Hartley Manners, at the Colonial Theatre next week, has a long record of brilliant artistic successes. He [illegible] as [illegible] artist the moment he [illegible] on the stage in New York with Mr. and Mrs. Kendal. He achieved what few English comedians have [illegible] a personal popularity so strong that on his second visit he was received by the audience on the opening night with an enthusiasm quite as warm as that accorded the Kendals, then in the height of their popularity.

The singing feature [illegible] Harris Minstrels [illegible] George Evans [illegible] the Boston Theatre [illegible] Monday, February 7 [illegible] up to the high stand [illegible] tion. The principal vocalists are John Rogers, an eminent basso, who has returned to the semi role after an absence of several years. Vaughn Comfort, a singer who has won much renown and popularity with various minstrel and musical organizations, and Will Oakland, who possesses a contra tenor said to be quite the equal of the famous Dick Jose.

The management of the Boston Theatre has selected an appropriate Lenten attraction in booking "Ben Hur" for a brief engagement at that theatre beginning Monday, February 14. [illegible] who witnessed [illegible] an exceptionally adequate production.

Johnnie and Emma Ray, in a new version of their popular "King Casey," with elaborate scenic effects, beautiful costumes, catchy music and pretty girls, will be seen at the Grand Opera House next week. This will be their last professional appearance in this city, as at the close of this season they intend retiring from professional life.

[illegible] who will appear shortly [illegible] Miss [illegible] Bransby Williams [illegible] portrayer of Dickens's characters, George Lashwood, the English Beau Brummell; Willi Holt Wakefield, Mabel McKinley, Griff, Rice & Provost and Harry Lauder, who will play a return engagement here the middle of next month.

"Going Some," one of the latest comedies [illegible] out in New York and which ran for six months at the Belasco, will come to the Globe February 7.

JOHNNIES BOTHERING GERTRUDE TERRIBLY

"Just because a girl has to play a naughty role [illegible] reason why [illegible] acting natural, [illegible] ton who is a very [illegible] Girl from Rector's."

"Because I don't frown [illegible] that I received [illegible] play, a lot of these [illegible] Johnnies think it just a matter of sending me a line and a bouquet of flowers in order to make my acquaintance. [illegible] they even come right up and speak to me at the stage door, the fresh things."

During the run of "The Girl from Rector's" in Chicago Miss Millington was so pestered by attentions of this kind that she was compelled to hire a strong arm man to escort her out of the stage door of the theatre to her taxicab. For several nights this plan proved effective, but on the fifth evening Miss Millington was accosted by a young man who addressed her familiarly as Gertrude. No sooner had he spoken than the hired man, [illegible] to earn his pay, delivered a wallop that would have put [illegible] had it landed. But the Romeo ducked and countered neatly and [illegible] scrap ensued.

It is to be regretted that we must admit that Miss Millington [illegible] and stayed to watch the [illegible]. But when Romeo began to put it over the pug she got frightened and tried to edge [illegible] them and [illegible] her escape. [illegible] the masher said: "Don't be afraid, Gertie, I won't let this [illegible] you."

Then she recognized [illegible] her cousin and with a scream [illegible] off for [illegible].

The stage door of the Boston Theatre opens on Mason street, a well-lighted thoroughfare, so that a strong man will probably not be needed in this town.

MAUDE ADAMS IS PLAYWRIGHT'S IDEAL

"The first meeting of Mr. Barrie and Maude Adams in London was a great surprise to me," says Charles Frohman of Maude Adams, to be seen in Boston tomorrow evening at the Hollis. "Miss Adams had just [illegible] in England, following her [illegible] in 'The Little Minister.' I was going to superintend the meeting myself, and I set out for Barrie's home with that idea [illegible], but when I got there I found the little playwright and the [illegible] fast friends.

[illegible] had him [illegible] for him [illegible] And [illegible] the visit to [illegible] that Miss [illegible] better [illegible] Peter Pan he always [illegible] as Peter Adams.

[illegible] the writing of 'What Every Woman Knows' when [illegible] Barrie [illegible] how he got on his [illegible] playwright to [illegible] It was the [illegible] that Maude Adams [illegible] Barrie's great desire to have Miss Adams appear in one of [illegible] plays in London, a wish I am going [illegible] day [illegible] the next play [illegible]."

According to Mr. Frohman Miss Adams [illegible] personality within his experience who has a distinct public following [illegible] in whatever [illegible] does.

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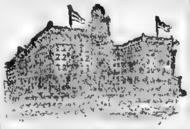
[illegible] that during one of the New Theatre's performances of "The School for Scandal," Miss Grace George, who played Lady Teazle, and Miss Rose Coghlan, who appeared as Mrs. Candour, were passing the time of day with that precarious amiability which sometimes characterizes the intercourse between ladies of the theatre. Miss Coghlan was once upon a time famous as an interpreter of the leading roles of Sheridan's comedy, and was experiencing [illegible] feeling of petulance at the triumphant attitude of her younger [illegible] "Well, I may be cast for Mrs. Candour now, but for [illegible] as the greatest Lady Teazle of the century." And Miss George purred softly, with the full consciousness of her innocence, "Which century?"

This [illegible] suggests that in the [illegible] of spontaneous rejoinder [illegible] sisters of the stage are becoming more expert than he. As evidence [illegible] Mrs. Louise Closser Hale, who writes fully as well as she acts [illegible] Atlantic last Summer for the [illegible] Mrs. Hale inspired the admiration of a handsome [illegible] whose attentions she [illegible] contemplation of the [illegible] as she leaned over the [illegible] in propitiatory tones inquired, "What may I ask, makes [illegible]?" And Miss [illegible] saw Mrs. Hale look up at him, with a beatific smile and say, "Because I don't know you!"



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PLAYS AND PLAYERS

The announcement that later on this season Miss Julia Marlowe will play the role of Hamlet, when Mr. Sothern will be seen as the King, is a matter of surprise to the actress's intimate friends, who have long known that it has been a cherished desire on her part to appear as the Danish Prince. Miss Marlowe has already achieved prominence in the [illegible] and [illegible] manner in which she has played boys' parts, as shown in "Chatterton," "When Knighthood Was in Flower," and in her famous impersonations of Imogen, Viola, Rosalind and Portia.

In "Penelope" W. Somerset Maugham has attempted to solve the problem of how to be happy though married. His scheme sounds feasible enough as Miss Marie Tempest and her fellow players present it at the Colonial, but in real life it is to be feared that women are more prone to the use of the rolling pin and to resort to hair pulling than they are to pursue the method which Penelope's father advises her to follow.

Miss Edith Taliaferro, who appears as Rebecca in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," is reaping the reward of the successful star. She has been extensively entertained while in the city, two receptions have been given in her honor at Wellesley College, and Thursday afternoon she was the guest of honor at Radcliffe College.

Marie L. Day, who appears as the [illegible] old spinster aunt [illegible] Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," has been appointed chaperon for the [illegible] club of the company, of which there are six members. Mrs. Taliaferro, the mother of Edith Taliaferro, is the regent of the club and Mrs. Mersoreau the treasurer.

The chorus girl bride was showing another chorus girl over her pretty new home. "And there, my dear," she said, "is a real genuine camel skin rug."

Her dear friend gazed at the object in question and then smiled superiorly.

"Oh, my dear," she said sweetly, "I think you must be mistaken. Real camel skin has bumps in it."

J. E. Dodson's vehicle next season will be R. [illegible] drama "The City That David Built." The theme of the piece is based on the law of compensation as affecting the career of a man of noble qualities, who in a moment of great temptation falls, and who devotes the rest of his life to [illegible] through philanthropy [illegible] offence.

Jacques Kruger of "The Beauty Spot" company at the Majestic has played more [illegible] than any actor before the public today. His first appearance was during the Civil War, after he had escaped from a Northern prison. He began his theatrical career as property man.

It takes as many stage hands to run the [illegible] scene in "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm" at the Tremont Theatre as there are players in the cast of the piece.

[illegible] having failed in New York, Dustin Farnum is now among the unemployed.

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By CHARLES HENRY MELTZER.

N[illegible] the other day. [illegible] they are [illegible]

"Why [illegible] sons for your [illegible] opera. [illegible] you tell [illegible] of the [illegible] miss [illegible]

Now [illegible] confess [illegible] than fair.

I [illegible] "cryptic" [illegible] "mys[illegible]" [illegible] my experience [illegible] ideals may [illegible] make them [illegible] those [illegible] explained [illegible]

But it is possible that I have not said half enough in praise of opera.

Loving it as I do, hearing and seeing so much of it, I [illegible] for granted that the thousands, the hundreds of thousands—whom I address already share my love. That, however, [illegible] which may be [illegible] And in a measure I will [illegible] now.

For, though at present opera must largely [illegible] matter of fashion, I feel with Mr. Savage that it must soon be [illegible] on a more broad and popular basis, or it will die here like a hundred other things which have been made the mode for a time, short or long, and been forgotten.

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To [illegible] "Faust" [illegible] are needed on the stage [illegible] more are working [illegible] to make the appearance of [illegible] possible.

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I do not [illegible] flaws, no [illegible] season, at the [illegible] too many [illegible] all but [illegible] other the [illegible] performances at the [illegible]

[illegible] of an opera [illegible] forgotten the [illegible]

Soon [illegible] a great [illegible]

[illegible] that [illegible] were [illegible] that ever [illegible] was for [illegible] your stand [illegible] wandering [illegible] that will now and [illegible] the opening of celestial [illegible] your own [illegible] thoughts aloud instead of speaking [illegible] palaces [illegible] the fields which serve [illegible] backgrounds for the singers and dancers [illegible]

Yet if only you will help the illusion, if only you will look and listen with the simplicity of a child, all will seem real to you.

What better proof of that can one desire than the rapt joy, the smiles, the thrills, which one may see in the audience at the performances of "Haensel and Gretel?"

Romance Is Born Again.

Setting aside a few modern operas [illegible] "La Boheme," which [illegible] the [illegible] characters whose [illegible] you will make in opera are [illegible]

You will meet brave knights with silver or golden helmets and shields, like Lohengrin and Manrico. You will see proud [illegible] Leonora and Donna Anna. You [illegible] behold dazzling enchantresses and beguiling sirens like Kundry and Venus. You will shudder at monsters of wickedness, like Scarpia, and Iago, and [illegible]

Thanks to the invention of the librettists, the playwrights of lyricism, and to the resources of the stage managers, you will penetrate to the bowels of the earth, as in "Tannhaeuser," soar to the seventh heaven, as in the last scene of "Faust," and plunge into the abyss of hell, with Orpheus and Eurydice.

From time to time, too, you will fly to the Witches' Sabbat, on Walpurgis Nights with Mephistopheles, or dive into the Rhine with Alberich.

Nothing will be too fantastic for you. Nothing will be impossible.

All this, and more, you will have for a few paltry dollars, if you will risk them on opera.

We Must Have Music.

But chiefly (and I have left this to the last purpose) you will have music.

Music that will seem to lift you on its wings and fill you with ecstasy. Music that, for a short time at least, will make you unmindful of your sorrows. Music that will warm your heart and put gladness into you. Music that will sometimes madden you or move you to tears.

To some of you, no doubt, not even the most inspired music will mean anything. Some have no ears to hear with, even as some have eyes which see not. These, happily, are exceptions. I do not write for them, but for the great normal multitudes, with ears, and eyes, and souls.

If I were rich, like John D. Rockefeller or Andrew Carnegie, I should love to make an experiment or two in opera with the [illegible] in the tenement houses.

I should like to take fifty or a hundred of them, now and then, from their sad, squalid homes, and transport them suddenly to the [illegible] of the opera when they were singing, let us say, "Carmen" or "Aida" on the stage.

Would they be more dissatisfied or more resigned to their own lots after their one glimpse of Paradise?

I do not know.

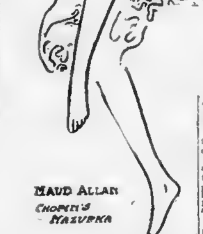
But I believe—I know—that, having once tasted opera, they would want more of it.

The more they longed for it, the less likely they would be to want lower things.

The more their ears were charmed with the sweet melodies and the grand harmonies of opera, the less they would be satisfied with the appeals of coarser joys.

Maud Allan Does the 'Salome Dance' and Tells Just What It All Means

Classical dancers [illegible]



AASE'S DEATH—PEER GYNT

DANCE OF THE GNOMES

MENDELSSOHN'S SPRING SONG

MAUD ALLAN CHOPIN'S MAZURKA

WHEN it comes to Miss Maud Allan's dance, "The Vision of Salome," Bostonians wish Miss Maud Allan to understand that they are "Dimly Guessers," to say the least.

When it comes to Miss Allan herself we are more "Dimly Guessers" after seeing that Salome dance. We [illegible] pretty fair working [illegible] drawing and perspective [illegible] person. Her costume left little to guess at, "dimly" or otherwise.

Question—What is a "Dim Guesser"?

That is a phrase coined by Miss Allan herself. She gave her second and final appearance in Boston in Symphony Hall last week. In addition to the "Peer Gynt" suite, "Spring Song" and other dances which she has given here before, she showed us "The Vision of Salome" as she dances it. In an explanatory pamphlet the audience read Miss Allan's own statement that the meaning she wishes to convey by this "Salome" dance has been "Dimly guessed by some," "Hinted at by others" and "Widely misunderstood by the Groundlings."

"Groundlings" is a Jacobean term meaning those who sat in the "pit" or "floor" of old-time theatres and laughed at buffoonery and slap-stick work generally.

Of course Miss Allan never esteems Bostonians as "Groundlings."

As to the middle term—it is to be hoped that we can more than "hint at" the meaning of the "Salome" turn.

At the very least, we must be among those who "Dimly guess at." Judging by the applause at the close of the dance, we "guessed" it was a very fine thing.

Mind you, this refers to the dance. As stated before, there is no "dimly guessing" at the longitudinal displacement of Miss Allan herself.

One needn't be called a "Groundling" just because one observed that the upper part of Miss Allan's body was coyly screened by an unobtrusive garment of beads or material to that effect. In the back this garment ran mostly to neck—and in the front it was cut off about well, about at the second button from the top, as it were.

If Miss Allan had been an ordinary chorus girl and [illegible] in the [illegible] glare of a full-lighted stage she would have been "pinched" by some cop who "dimly guessed" she had come to work in a hurry.

But the stage was "dim" and the general atmosphere was all to the high brow and besides the dance was a sacred and religious one.

Miss Allan's management slipped us the last definition and he ought to know.

Miss Allan's "Salome" is interesting, graceful, as full of wiggles as a box of bait and cheerfully creepy in spots.

It is supposed to represent the emotions of a young Princess of a far off primitive time, before they had the modern advantages of physical culture, tone poems and symphonic movements. Judging by this dance, Salome was quite an emotional young person and probably the finest [illegible] dancer of her day and generation.

Motion and Emotion.

The other dances, leading up to the "Salome," ran the whole gamut of motion and emotion also.

If any series of movements ever expressed more sorrow than the dance of "Aase's Death" in the "Peer Gynt" suite, then it has yet to appear. Miss Allan had just been giving her "Morning Dance," clad in filmy grayish draperies. For the "Death" turn she added a black scarf and some extremely depressing steps and postures. The whole dance stood for woe, utter and unutterable woe, sorrow, anguish of mind and body and soul.

But "Anitra's Dance"! Such a change. It must have been a "Big Night, Tonight" for Anitra, from the way the dancer was full of worry compared with Anitra. Incidentally, Anitra, in her gay abandon, displayed generously her legs to all, "Groundlings," "Dimly Guessers," high brows and rough necks—no, not rough-necks. This was in Symphony Hall.

"The Dance of the Gnomes" was a cheerful bit. For the entrance, some one in the orchestra, it may have been the bassooner, if that's what you call him, freed himself of a deep, betraying note, just the kind of music a gnome would dote on. The annual concert and ball of the Gnome Social Club must be a dizzy spectacle at its height. Miss Allan squirmed herself some of the finest squirms ever seen, and finally stopped like some one tied up in a knot. But it wasn't an ugly demonstration at that. It was just gnomey.

Mendelssohn's "Spring Song," accentuated by the blithe music, was fawn-like in its airy grace. The audience could not get enough of it. The "Blue Danube" was a waltz wonder. It was interesting to "Dimly guess" at what would happen if anyone tried that costume and those gyrations in a popular assembly in South Boston.

OPERA COMPANY IS HOME NEXT WEEK

Boston Organization Has Added Several Operas to Repertory While on the Road.

By FREDERICK JOHNS.

When the Boston Opera Company returns home next week it will have added three or four operas to the repertory which it had acquired during the first half of the season here. In spite of the inconveniences of road travel, Mr. Russell has found time to rehearse and produce additional operas. "Lohengrin" and "Lucia Di Lammermoor" have already been given on the road. "The Huguenots" will be presented before the company returns and "Elixer of Love" and "The Maestro di Capella" are in preparation.

The repertory for the week of February 7 includes a performance of Carmen with Maria Gay, who has been induced to remain with the company for a few performances in addition to the original agreement, Maestro di Cappela and Don Pasquale on Wednesday, February 9, with Alice Nielsen and Pini-Corsi, Madame Butterfly on Saturday afternoon and Il Trovatore on Saturday night. Saturday evening performances are to be resumed, but instead of debutantes the best singers will be used. Emma Hoffman and Carlo Cartica will sing on the occasion. Lucia, Huguenots and Mefistofele will be given during the second and third weeks.

With these to begin and the proved ability of the company to produce one or two new operas each week [illegible] and probably be less necessity for repetition than during the first part of the season.

Sunday night concerts have been given on the road and have proved successful. If Mr. Russell resumes concerts in Boston why would it not be a good idea to perform some standard cantata or mass as a basis for the program.

Could Sing Cantata.

Some of the grandest and most beautiful musical compositions in existence were written for the service of the Catholic Church and are now banished from the churches by edict of Pope Pius X, who holds that they are more operatic than religious in character and do not belong in religious service. The Pope admits the beauty of this music, and proposed that it be performed frequently in [illegible] It [illegible] a company the [illegible]

All the masters of music have [illegible] uted to the church library. Mozart wrote nearly a score of masses; Haydn wrote many; Beethoven, Rossini, Verdi, Gounod, Mercadante, Palestrina, Cherubini, all contributed masses, vespers or settings of church hymns, and most of these compositions can no longer be given because of their operatic character.

Yet Rossini, whose operas are ever popular, never wrote more exquisite melodies than appear in the "Stabat Mater," and his festival mass. Mozart's "Twelfth Mass" is wonderfully beautiful; Verdi's "Requiem" is a masterpiece, and the light, airy masses of Haydn, the melodious masses of Gounod and the beautiful works of Beethoven, with their elaborate vocal fugues, are still remembered with regret by music lovers who hear them no more.

Why wouldn't it be a good idea if some of these works were performed at the Sunday concerts at the Opera House?

Suitable for Sunday Music.

The music is suitable for Sunday, and yet light enough not to bore any one. I am sure it would do as much to popularize these concerts as anything else. For myself, I would like very much to hear the "Stabat Mater" or Verdi's "Requiem" given by the Opera House orchestra, chorus and principals.

In the old days of stricter Sunday regulations Sunday concerts giving by visiting grand opera companies usually included one of these compositions, and Rossini's "Stabat Mater" is in the repertory of nearly all opera singers and choristers.

Most of these works are in the repertory of the opera principals and Italian chorus.

Many reasons have been advanced to explain the lack of operas by native Americans, but the principal reason is one that is seldom mentioned. There is no money in it. An opera is not composed in a day. It requires a year or two of the brains and energy and musical inspiration of a composer. When the opera is completed it may be produced. If so it is at once compared to the works of Verdi, Wagner and Mozart, and if it cannot stand comparison is immediately condemned. If it survives criticism, it may be performed six or eight times during the season at the opera house which produced it and in the course of the next ten years may creep into the repertory of other opera houses. This will bring the composer much honor, but little money. A few thousand dollars is the most he can hope for.

The intelligent American musician knows that with a thousandth part of the labor necessary to write an opera he may compose a popular song which will earn him $100,000. Or he may compose a comic opera which will run a year in New York and pay him $500 per week royalties.

In Europe where opera has become popularized there is a field for composition. There is none here and there will not be until every city has its opera house and our people have learned to demand American music in preference to the Italian, German or French brand just as the inhabitants of those countries demand their own opera.

Victor Herbert who has made a fortune from comic opera, is now writing a grand opera which will be produced at the Manhattan. It is a labor of love. He knows that he will not make money from it. Converse, the Boston man whose "Pipe of Desire," is promised an early production at the Metropolitan, is wealthy. "The Pipe of Desire" has been in existence for three years but has brought him no receipts. If he had to earn his living as a composer he could not devote his time to grand opera.

John McCormack, the young Irish tenor of the Manhattan Opera Company, in speaking of the inducements offered him to cross the Atlantic, told this one, according to the New York Telegraph.

"I think the experience of my friend Michael Hooley was largely instrumental in my lending a willing ear to Mr. Hammerstein. Michael left Athlone about fifteen years ago for America, where he prospered, and when he came back to visit us last year he told me.

"'Thim United Shtates is a great counthry for recognizin' a man of genius. When I first wint there an' was a-carryin a hod me frinds called me Mike. Whin I got on the police force ivery one called me Hooley. Thin whin I shtarted me saloon I was addressed as Mr. Hooley; an' whin I was made an Alderman the papers spoke of me as "the Hon. Mr. Hooley." An now I'm a mimber of the Legislature. [illegible] If the Sunday afther me election I didn't go to one of thim Protestant churches, an' no sooner did I stick me head inside the dure than the choir began to sing "Hooley, Hooley, Hooley."'"

Mr. McCormack is still a young man but [illegible] was old when Brian Boru was King of Ireland.

SOME DANCERS

By MORTON BIRGE

The present symphonic dancing craze may lead to the following notices in the Boston papers at an early date. Why not?

IN Chickadee Hall last night an aristocratic audience was delighted by Bertha, the Sales Girl, in her symphonic tone movements, expressive of the joy of working at the bargain counter. Bertha was formerly employed as a bundle girl, rose to counter work and decided that her best efforts could be interpreted through classic dancing. She gave a five-part program as follows:

1. Introductory movement with [illegible] draperies and side combs, showing Bertha ready for the day's rush.
2. Exquisite repartee with girl at next counter, interpreted with special stage setting and assisted by chorus of floorwalkers.
3. Tone poem, "The Bargain Rush."
4. "Spirit of Joy," interpreting a flirtation.
5. Finale. Symbolic strap-hanging homeward bound.

One of the most charming events in Society life will be the reception to be given on the fifth by Mrs. Beekon Street, at which Signorita Onion des Oldun y Fauna will illustrate the life of a macaroni eater by bare-legged dancing. The climax of this dance is attained when the Signorita, appropriately costumed, shows the growth, development and finish of macaroni en casserole. As a symphonic interpretation this dance is a macaroni marvel.

A return engagement at an early date is announced by the management of Tinpanny Hall of Bill Bull, the barefoot dancer from Aroostook county, who illustrates the life of a woodchopper in four dances and an interlude. Bull's only scenic aid in this interpretation is an axe and a property tree.

Miss Eulalie Cabbott Cabbott, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cabbott Cabbott-Cabbott of Cabbott Park, will make her debut to-morrow night in Otter Hall in Babylonian dances. In her entr'acte she will represent the wall of Babylon. Succeeding dances will be symphonic of the Hanging Gardens and the Fall of Babylon. The last-named is expected to be very impressive. Miss Eulalie weighs 260 pounds.

"NEW PLAY JUST TEA," SAYS DALE

They Drink Just Quarts of It in "Mrs. Dot"; Billie Burke Punishes Several Cups.

By ALAN DALE.

NEW YORK, Jan. 29.—And they al[illegible] [illegible] Sydney [illegible]

[illegible] that the characters really have to drink tea. Otherwise they would have to get busy [illegible] Mrs. Dot [illegible] Marie Tempest [illegible] Mrs. Dot [illegible] New York [illegible] at the Lyceum [illegible] Miss Billie Burke to play Mrs. Dot.

"A Peach of a Girl."

Now I [illegible] little Billie Burke. She is a peach of a girl, with lovely fussy hair, a sweet face, and a good deal of ability. I think she is charming and all that sort of thing, don't you know. But to see Billie Burke play Mrs. Dot after Marie Tempest is to realize more thoroughly than ever what a [illegible] artist Marie Tempest is. In this quite slight little play, which is nevertheless bright, Marie Tempest romped and frolicked. She gave to the character of Mrs. Dot such a lot of meaning that, 'pon me honor, one almost believed it was a big part.

It isn't, and little Billie Burke makes that clear.

The stage [illegible] to reform the "pic[illegible]" [illegible] their deeds [illegible] their own [illegible] in the midst of his [illegible] in love with a [illegible] the Skirt does the deed. He becomes [illegible] disgustingly good. The small boy goes home immorally happy. The "press agent" talks of a great lesson. Sometimes a [illegible] gets peevish as the manager grows joyous. Seats "eight weeks in advance."

No Maudlin Convert.

It is therefore with very great pleasure that I turn to Paul Armstrong's excellent, stirring and delightfully novel play, "Alias Jimmy Valentine," at Wallack's Theatre, for here at last we have a hero who seems human; whose access of virtue is not too sudden, whose lapses are not excused by tawdry heroics, who gets our sympathy, and who thrills us in the way that Broadway people like to be thrilled. It is a [illegible] and absorbing play, that keeps one guessing. "Alias Jimmy Valentine" is not in the same class as our old friends "Raffles," "Jim the Penman" and "Arsene Lupin." Nor [illegible] the small boy derive [illegible] from its evil-doing.

To be sure, the Skirt is there, hanging until love gets it. To be sure love does get it, and starts Jimmy Valentine on the path to reformation. But the young [illegible] hard [illegible] The love for the Skirt seems powerless to avert relentless fate. Until the very end of the play, Jimmy Valentine is really "up agin it." Yet throughout he is no preachy penitent; he is no maudlin convert; he is a thoroughly nice chap and nobody can avoid liking him—nobody need try to do so.

"Alias Jimmy Valentine" will not be dismissed as a glorification of crime. It is nothing of the sort. Those who want an excuse for not liking it will say that it is improbable. That is my best excuse for liking it.

Notes of the Studios

Next Saturday evening will be an off [illegible] and in that respect Miss [illegible] has done wisely in [illegible] Steinert Hall. Mr. [illegible] for this young artist [illegible] studied with him for [illegible] her capacity of "making good." The program selected by Miss Stickney will test her capabilities to the utmost. It consists of Beethoven's Sonata, op. 40, Saint-Saens' Concerto in A minor [illegible] Klengel's Scherzo [illegible] fantasie on Russian [illegible] Miss Marion [illegible] parts.

To-night in the attractive studios in Boylston Chambers, Mrs. Lila Viles Wyman will entertain a company of artists, musicians and professional folk informally. This is the second of a series of three of these pleasant gatherings. To Mrs. Wyman belongs the well earned credit of the signal success of [illegible] given [illegible] the New England Conservatory, where, from untrained material, she presented [illegible] of the seasons, dances from Japan, in a most effective and beautiful manner.

The "Miss Hobbs" of Annie Russell was popular enough to have a new style hat named for her, and the "Miss Hobbs" of Mrs. Elizabeth Pooler Rice when heard on Thursday night, by its charm of artistic presentation, its delightful humor, plus the personality of the reader, made one wish to have a continual reminder of the happy Miss Hobbs in something more permanent than a fleeting whim of Dame Fashion.

Symphony Orchestra leaves to-night for its annual week's tour to the West. Monday night will play in Buffalo; the concert on Tuesday night will be in Detroit, on Wednesday night in Cleveland; on Thursday night in Erie; Friday night in Rochester; Saturday [illegible] in Syracuse and Monday [illegible] to return to Boston the following Tuesday morning.

An event in which the society women of Wollaston are enterprising patronesses is the recital of Miss Mildred Bass, a young reader whose high intellectual work has made her a favorite [illegible] Miss [illegible] a drama of deep human interest [illegible] Assisting Miss [illegible] are Miss Edna Goode, a soprano.

Current programmes of the Faelten Pianoforte School are replete with good things while the style of performance continues at a high standard. Last week the recital was given by the advanced students. George S. Barrett, one of the graduates, also took part. February 3 some of the younger students will appear.

Helen Reynolds, violinist, Katherine Halliday, cellist, and Margaret Gorham, pianist, are the artists comprising the Helen Reynolds' trio, which is conducting ensemble classes at Trinity Court Studio.

An interesting departure by a young pianist of note, Harris S. Shaw, is that of interpreting with four hands upon the piano with non-professional musicians of the Back Bay the programs played each week by the Symphony Orchestra.

Miss Irene Bewby, reader of plays and stories, leaves this week for a fortnight's tour. She reads twice for the Y. M. C. A. in Washington, with a recital for the Woman's Club of Baltimore and other dates in the Capital and New York.

Mrs. H. H. A. Beach wisely and to the [illegible] of her many admirers, includes her latest composition on her program for the piano recital which she is to give in Steinert Hall on Thursday evening, February 10.

Tuesday evening the Chromatic Club [illegible] unusually fine programme given [illegible] violinist, Miss Edith Clerista Miller, the Misses Patten and the composer-pianist, Mme. Edith R. Noyes.

Studios of some of the "old timers" were pleasurably surprised this week by visits from Edgar L. Davenport of Boston Museum fame. Mr. Davenport is "resting" this season.

George Proctor leaves for the West shortly, when he will play with leading orchestras of the larger cities and give numerous recitals.

Mme. Helen Hopekirk makes the announcement that she will give a pianoforte recital in Steinert Hall on February 22.

That new but flourishing combination of excellent male voices known as the Boston Quintet gave two admirable performances last week.

The announcement that Helen Reynolds' trio is planning a concert for next month brings a pleasurable feeling of anticipation.

Mrs. Wesley's home recital in Providence will present a program by Miss Anna Miller Wood to-morrow evening.

Miss Edith Castle, who sang for the Musical Art Club last week, sings this evening in Concord, N. H.

John [illegible] Botume, the well-known boy choir master, has returned from a trip through the South.

Max Landow, a pianist from Omaha, will give a piano recital in Steinert Hall on February 8.

Mrs. Bulard, soprano, will sing for the [illegible] Art Club at Chickering Hall to-morrow evening.

Arthur Foote has been ill for some time, but is again in his studio.

Concert Promised.

For the first time since its organization, sixty-eight years ago, the Philharmonic Society of New York will play a symphony concert in Boston. Preparations for this much looked for event, which is to take place at Symphony Hall in this city on February 26, are already under way, and a large and representative audience is assured.

To Lecture Here.

The lecture on "Epochs of Piano Music" which William J. Henderson, music critic of the New York Sun, will give in Chickering Hall on Tuesday afternoon, February 1, at three o'clock, with the assistance of Madame Olga Samaroff, who will play a number of works on the piano to illustrate the lecture, promises to be an event of more than ordinary interest.

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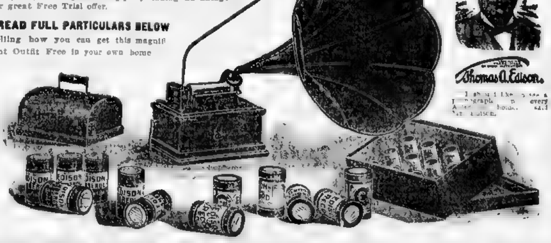

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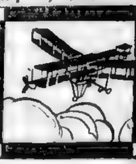

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Aladdin's Genii Are Not to Be Compared with the Wonders Conjured Up by Rubbing the Lamp of Modern Thought.

TO pessimists, cynics, misanthropes, to all who doubt that the world is any better to-day than it was ages ago, or that it will be better to-morrow than it is to-day:

You have read in the Arabian Nights Entertainments the story of Aladdin, the Prince of China, and his wonderful lamp. People used to believe that story implicitly. When the world was young men were children, and hungered for fairy stories and tales of the miraculous.

The Aladdin story was as pleasing to grown men in the days when it was first told as it is pleasing to children to-day.

The idea that upon a human being was conferred the power to do seemingly superhuman things, to build with no effort of his own marvellous palaces, to transport himself magically from place to place through the air, to crush kings who opposed him by a word, had a strong fascination for a people who disliked to do things, but who delighted in the idea of having things done for them.

In that day people were dreamers, not doers. They had the imagination to conceive miracles, but they lacked the energy to accomplish them.

And when the story of the fortunate Prince of China was related to them each listener put himself for a time in Aladdin's place, and fondly imagined how delightful it would be if he (the listener) could, by rubbing a lamp, summon up a misty servant to do his bidding, find him a beautiful wife, install her in a diamond-encrusted palace and destroy all his rivals in her affections.

Among a people composed wholly of dreamers there could be nothing but dreams. For ages the half-grown children, whose years might have made them adults, delighted in tales of miracles of magic—of enchanted carpets that carried their owners through space, of empires created overnight, of treasures of gold and precious stones, hidden away by fairies for favored mortals to find and enjoy.

Children in mind, they took their pleasures like children, fought blind, furious wars, as schoolboys fight, over fancied grievances, fled in terror from comets or invested dumb brutes with God-like powers.

But all the time the intellectual development of the race was progressing. Presently men began to think, as well as to dream. To the imagination to conceive ideas was added the energy to execute them.

Great were the story tellers of old—welcomed in every community, petted, rewarded liberally, listened to with eager attention.

Yet how feeble were their imaginations compared with the imaginations of men who came later, and really did wonders far more marvellous than any performed by Aladdin's genii!

Not a magician of fable was ever credited with summoning from out of the earth the materials with which to build an airship, by means of which common men could really master the air.

Never lived in Arabia the story teller who could foresee the telegraph and telephone, the electric railroad, the phonograph or any one of a hundred marvels which we now accept as everyday matters.

For Aladdin to rub a lamp and bring to his feet a foggy slave to build him a palace was wonderful. But far more wonderful was the feat of Michael Angelo in imagining a cathedral which should be more beautiful and more wonderful than any building that could be conceived by an Oriental mind.

Michael Angelo was a dreamer, too. He might have devoted his life to picturing in words to admiring hearers the wonders that were conjured up by his brain. But he was not content to be a dreamer alone.

He made his dreams come true. When he was fourteen years old, a poor boy, apprenticed a painter, he was found by Lorenzo de Medici studying the marbles in the garden of San Marco. Lorenzo, a lover of the beautiful, and keenly appreciative of the talent he found in the pale, imaginative little fellow, took him to his palace and gave him every opportunity to study.

The boy dreamed, and studied, and worked incessantly, trying to give to his hands the skill to impress on canvas and on marble the conceptions of his brain.

In 1491, the year before Columbus, another dreamer and doer, discovered a new world, young Michael Angelo met the great Savonorola, whose kindness and interest made the boy his worshipper from that day forth.

After long years of work that seems unbelievable to the modern artist he was brought to Rome by Pope Julius II. to design his mausoleum.

Repeated designs were made and rejected, and although the beautiful dream of the sculptor was never carried out, he rose superior to discouragements, making statue after statue, painting picture after picture, till at last he was given the task of making substitute designs for St. Peter's Cathedral.

The life of this genius has been an inspiration to every artist who has followed him.

His was a brain that could see and a hand that could do. The world had grown better, or it could not have produced Michael Angelo The intellectual development of the human race had progressed, or his noble work could never have been done.

While the artist, sculptor and architect was still a lad, studying with pathetic eagerness the art that he found about him, another dreamer, Christopher Columbus, was rubbing the lamp of thought and preparing to show the world another miracle.

Columbus had had his dreams, but he was not willing to content himself with the mere telling of them.

Deep study had made him sure that it was possible to sail around the world, perhaps to India, and there to reach the kingdoms whose barbarian magnificence had been told by the traveller Marco Polo.

Such a dream may have come to other men in an earlier day. If it did they told it to their fellows perhaps, speculated upon its splendor and turned to other things.

But the world was growing wiser as it grew older. Columbus was living in a better time

Perhaps no other man with a great idea to work out has met with so many and such baffling discouragements.

But Columbus persisted, and at last, when his little fleet was fitted out, he sailed away over a trackless ocean to find a continent—an achievement with which no possible modern feat, save a journey to another planet, could compare.

The age that gave the world Columbus and Michael Angelo was a far greater age than that in which the trembling Sultana told her lord and master the wonder stories that saved her life.

There were still dreamers, but some of them were becoming dissatisfied with empty dreams. They wanted to see wonderful realities, and they began to understand that the human brain could do more than merely imagine things.

Between the brutal wars that devastated Europe, and even while hordes of assassins were still plundering and murdering, there were here and there to be found men who thought.

Copernicus was studying the stars and developing a system of astronomy that fired men's imaginations and carried their thoughts forth into the universe.

The great civilization of the Greeks was studied anew. Half a century before Columbus the art of printing had been invented—or imported from the Chinese—and the ideas of the thinkers were thus communicated to others, who in turn began to think for themselves.

They were still dark ages, black with tyranny and oppression, the masses ignorant, the rulers cruel and rapacious.

But thought was spreading, and with its spread the world constantly grew better.

Intellectual development is slow. The average schoolboy of to-day, could he talk to Christopher Columbus, would find him amazingly ignorant of many things that would seem A, B, C to the schoolboy, surprisingly childlike in many beliefs and ideas.

But the schoolboy of to-day is 400 years further along in development than Columbus —which means that for 400 years men have been thinking that he and his fellow schoolboys may benefit

To-day the great ships that cross the Atlantic bring the works of art of the European masters for the American boy to study; the books of the great writers of the world, and even the remains of Greek and Roman temples. The cable brings news of what all the world is doing, of the results of the most modern thought in government, in science and philosophy.

If a great German doctor discovers a cure for a fatal malady it can be employed the following day or week or month in New York.

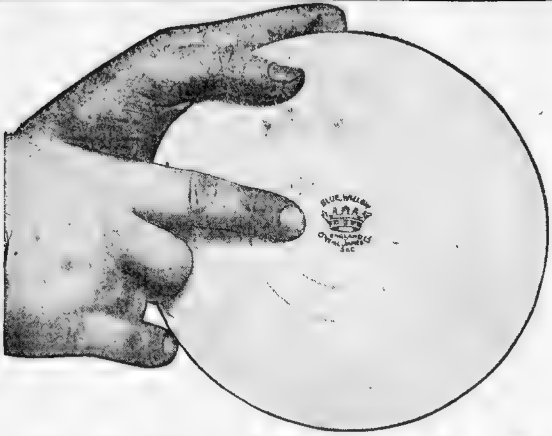
If a brilliant Irishman writes a play that all the people of the world ought to see, it may be produced in all the capitals of the world within a month or two.

The great dreamers of long ago still dream, but they know now how to make their dreams realities.

Morally as well as intellectually, the world has grown better, and will grow better.

There is promise that the black horror of war will soon be abolished by the concerted action of the nations.

In such a world there is little room for the cynic and the misanthrope. The history of civilization makes it plain that slowly but as surely as the earth moves in its orbit humanity is becoming nobler and greater, and that the beautiful fable of old is the actual fact of to-day.



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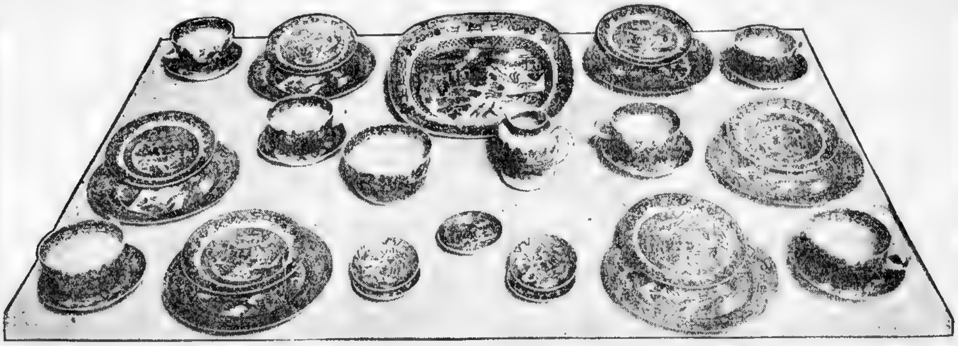

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THE STORY OF THE OLD BLUE WILLOW WARE PATTERN

Once upon a time in far-away China there lived a very rich old Mandarin, who had an only daughter named Li-Chi. They dwelt in a beautiful home, two stories in height (a very rare thing in China), with outbuildings in the back and large trees of a rare and costly kind surrounding the place, all of which signified that the owner was a person of great wealth.

Li-Chi was indeed a very pretty girl, and her father being a rich man, she was always dressed in the softest and brightest silks, embroidered in silver; and could you have seen her on a moonlight night sitting on the balcony of her father's house, with flowers entwined in the sort folds about her feet, you would certainly have thought her fit to marry a prince. She had fallen desperately in love with her father's secretary, Chang, who lived in the island cottage shown at the top of the Blue Willow pattern.

The old Mandarin was very angry about this love affair and had forbidden the young man, Chang, to come to his house, and at the same time forbade his daughter, Li-Chi, to leave it, so that the lovers might have no chance of meeting. He went still further—he betrothed his daughter to a Ta-jin or Duke, who was very rich, but many years older than Li-Chi.

As time passed on she wondered to herself, "Is Chang dead or has he forgotten all about me?" But Chang was not dead, neither had he forgotten. He thought of her night and day, and at last one evening he sent her a message. As she was sitting on the balcony, a little boat made out of the cockle shell and fitted with a tiny sail floated right to her feet, and inside of it she found a colored bead that she had given her lover, being a sure proof that the boat had come from Chang. With the bead was also a little piece of bamboo paper, on which this message was written:

"When the willow fades away,
And the peach tree groweth gay,
Tell me, sweetheart, can it be
They will steal my love from me?"

After reading this welcome message from her lover, Li-Chi took her ivory tablet from the bosom of her dress, and in answer to his letter, in the same strain, she wrote:

"When the peach tree blooms, sweetheart,
Thou and I must weep and part,
Hasten, then, to take the prize,
Ere 'tis seen by robbers' eyes."

That her lover would understand this flowery language she well knew, and placing the tablet in the little boat, she lighted a stick of frankincense and placed it in the bow, and leaning over the balcony watched it sail away into the darkness of the night.

On the farther bank of the river Chang waited to draw his frail little bark to land, and when he read the verse on the ivory tablets, his smile went up to the corners of his eyes, as most Chinese smiles do, and at once he walked to the gardener's cottage, where he was lodging, and called to the gardener and his wife.

"Do you know when the Ta-jin is coming?" he asked.

"The betrothal feast is fixed for Thursday next, for the moon will then be lucky," replied the old man. "The Mandarin has ordered his gardeners to take six dozen carp out of the fish ponds, and there are to be golden and silver pheasants on the table, and also boar's head and roast peacock."

"And as many oysters as his guests can eat," added the gardener's wife.

"The servants say that the Ta-jin is bringing his bride a casket of jewels such as never before was seen," said the gardener.

The old people knew all about Chang's love story, but they were afraid to help him. Neither of them dared to risk the displeasure of such a rich and powerful Mandarin as Li-Chi's father.

At noon the Ta-jin sent her, by a special servant, the box of jewels of which the gardener and his wife had spoken. There were diamonds and rubies of such size that the Emperor himself would not despise them, while the necklace of pearls went twice around Li-Chi's neck and nearly to her waist.

At last Li-Chi's attendants persuaded her to allow them to dress her for her betrothal, and they chose a beautiful blue silk dress, embroidered all over with butterflies, because in China, butterflies are looked upon as a symbol of married happiness.

After they had finished, Li-Chi commanded them to leave her quite alone. She was tired of all the foolish talk about the Ta-jin, and she wanted to slip out once more and see if the willow blossoms were quite faded, and if there was no message from Chang sailing to her across the water. The women went away, but came back in a minute to tell her that one of the servants wished to speak to her.

"Let him in," said Li-Chi, impatiently. The young man who entered wore a long blue robe and a broad straw hat, which half concealed his face, but as soon as they were alone he took off the hat, made a low, sweeping bow, and Li-Chi saw that it was Chang himself. For a moment [illegible] he took her in his arms and kissed her, crumpling up all the golden butterflies in his eagerness, she knew it was really her lover, who had come to save her from marrying the Ta-jin.

Looking quickly around the room, Chang found a garment belonging to Li-Chi's old nurse, which covered up all her bridal finery except her pretty little gold-embroidered shoes.

"Never mind," said Li-Chi. "I shall run so fast no one will see my shoes."

She took her distaff in her hand, because she did not want to be an idle, useless wife to Chang, and giving him the box of jewels which they [illegible] to have taken, although the [illegible] had given them to Li-Chi, but [illegible] Chang did not know what [illegible] in too great a hurry to ask.

Chang put [illegible] in front of him, and she ran across the bridge first, while he followed with the casket of jewels. Behind them came the Mandarin, brandishing his whip.

On the bridge, in the blue willow design, will be seen the three figures of Chang, Li-Chi and the old Mandarin.

The old Mandarin gained [illegible] on Chang, and there was no [illegible] for escape, but the [illegible] to whom Chang had prayed [illegible] the lovers, and knowing that the old Mandarin would beat Chang to death and shut Li-Chi up for the rest of her life said to each other, "What shall we do?"

The Great Spirit said, "Change them into two turtle doves so that they may be happy together." And just as the old Mandarin [illegible] the box of jewels fell splash into the water, and Chang and Li-Chi were changed into two beautiful [illegible] doves, and flew away to their nest in the willow tree, where they lived happily ever after, and all the willows drooped their branches and wept with [illegible]. Thus came the name of the "Weeping Willow."

The story does not tell us any more about the old Mandarin, or what the Ta-jin said to him when he arrived home. It only tells us that Chang and Li-Chi are as happy as two turtle doves could be, and the next time you have the opportunity to examine the Old Willow Ware pattern, you must look for them hovering over the tree tops in the upper part of the design.

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A Moral Awakening by Ella Wheeler Wilcox

"I AM now [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible] eating the childre[illegible] I believe that [illegible] the squeams [illegible] to instruct their [illegible] of life than any [illegible] put together. I [illegible] this [illegible] have not [illegible] that the right [illegible] were not taught the danger of vice in their youth, and I [illegible] them. I [illegible] move this reproach from our land."

THE BISHOP OF LONDON.

WERE mothers of [illegible] stories [illegible] unfortunate children [illegible] would awaken [illegible] to protect the [illegible] consequences of [illegible] jects of existence.

For many years [illegible] has [illegible] London [illegible] know that [illegible] important subject [illegible] world.

But there are still thousands of parents who are asleep [illegible] children are protected [illegible] possible evil, and that [illegible] ocence they [illegible] These parents allow [illegible] to and fro [illegible] schools [illegible] world and [illegible] factories and [illegible] ing the dangers [illegible] tiful budding girlhood and [illegible] the everyday walks of life [illegible] allow their girls to ass[illegible] boys and young men [illegible] and believing that their [illegible] protection, or else they forbid them the companionship of the opposite sex, and so arouse [illegible] the natural [illegible] of young for association with the opposite sex.

We [illegible] the shocking and terrible tales [illegible] white slave traffic [illegible] [illegible] lured and coaxed or [illegible] and [illegible] degradation [illegible] young girls by polite [illegible] attentions first, and [illegible] led them to their ruin.

[illegible] women lead their [illegible] Not only are [illegible] and the young [illegible] shops [illegible] large cities [illegible] traders [illegible] These are not [illegible] they are about to FACTS [illegible] substitute [illegible] word to look into the subject.

So long as these things are true, so long [illegible] exists, it be[illegible] the parents of the land to arouse [illegible] dream of the innocence [illegible] of their girls and to protect [illegible] teaching them [illegible] the moment a child shows any [illegible] that [illegible] old enough to become [illegible] parent to a certain de[illegible]

"The mother [illegible] to any [illegible] the [illegible] knowledge [illegible] to the [illegible] and [illegible] your [illegible]

"It lies in your power to retain her innocence of thought by replacing ignorance with wise knowledge.

mother to [illegible] things. Your mother will tell you [illegible] fast as your mind can grasp such [illegible]

When a child has reached a reasoning age [illegible] boys and girls [illegible] be taught by the parents the [illegible] of being modest in [illegible] things and [illegible] never, by word or act, saying or doing anything in the presence of others which they would not want their parents to know. Little boys can be made to respect the [illegible] of motherhood and to feel ashamed of [illegible] or bad talk in reference to the matter [illegible] mother talks [illegible] and makes [illegible] realize that she is [illegible] and he hers.

Two of the finest [illegible] I ever met were so educated by their mothers at the early age of ten. They were told the essential FACTS of life by using the seed and the plant and the earth as similes, and were given high and holy ideals of motherhood which prevented them from ever falling [illegible] or vulgar habits of thought or act. [illegible] little girls of seven, and even [illegible] made to realize the [illegible] persons, and taught to [illegible] or cheeks for the caresses of boys or men, save their own kin. Con[illegible] references should be made to little girls of the danger which lies in accepting [illegible] offerings of candies or amusements from strangers, and they should be taught to fly immediately from the presence of [illegible] man or woman who makes such [illegible] to them when they are not with their [illegible]

A small child can be made to understand [illegible] people are bad mannered, and that it is not good form to accept advances from strangers. It is an inborn instinct in [illegible] women to want to do the fashionable thing. Impress the four-year-old girl then that it is [illegible] for [illegible] girls to allow strangers to bestow favors upon them or to be familiar in any way.

The moment a girl is old enough to go to [illegible] she is old enough to be [illegible] She will be certain to hear [illegible] things which [illegible] from living [illegible] impressions made upon her mind and [illegible] danger [illegible] LIES IN THE WISE COUNSEL AND FULL CONFIDENCE OF HER MOTHER. But how [illegible] destroy her innocence?" asks the [illegible] mother [illegible] seeing the child will go on to young womanhood ignorant of [illegible] great principles of living.

Dear madam, if your child is not an idiot she will learn the facts of life whether you tell her or not.

If she is not deaf [illegible] she will hear and see things which will destroy that ignorance [illegible]

It is in your power to retain her innocence of thought by replacing ignorance with wise knowledge [illegible] delicately and with reverence. One mother boasted to a friend of the extreme innocence of her beautiful, voluptuous daughter of thirteen. Yet the friend knew that the child had been lured into the park by a debased man, old enough to be her father, only a few weeks previous, and her innocence of mind destroyed by his conduct and conversation. Not only her own innocence, but that of another young girl to whom she confided the experience.

Such happenings are taking place everywhere, every day.

Another innocent child, whose mother hoped to guard in ignorance to the very altar, was induced to enter an artist's studio on her way to school, and left the studio with a mind tarnished for life.

Young boys, as soon as they are old enough to understand anything about sex, should be told of the awful dangers which lie in wait for strong, young manhood in tampering with vice.

The frightful lifelong maladies which affect the third and fourth generation of those who have not been wisely instructed ought to be [illegible] lesson to parents.

It is criminal to be silent on these subjects.

[illegible] an organization of parents be formed, where every parent takes an [illegible] to instruct the young on the subjects. It would do more to moralize the world and to [illegible] of disease and crime than [illegible] the [illegible] ever preached on the traditions of [illegible] the churches. After the Bishop of London made his assertion quoted above more than one hundred meetings in London [illegible] arranged for, in addition to several [illegible] meetings in every town and [illegible] the kingdom pamphlets are being prepared and will be distributed by the mil[illegible] the head [illegible] of every great college and [illegible] a personal part; a special periodical [illegible] "Prevention," will be issued and distributed to every parent in England.

And at the head and in the midst of this wonderful [illegible] and far-reaching movement [illegible] the Bishop of London, uttering the words printed in the centre of this page as the slogan of the campaign upon which he has entered for the good of England, and also these further words:

"There shall be plain talking," says the Bishop of London, "the time has gone by for whispers and paraphrases. Boys and girls must be told [illegible] these great vital facts of [illegible] and they must be given the proper knowledge of their bodies and the proper care of them. No abstractions. The only way now is to be frank, man to man."

If any parents doubt the necessity of plain talking, let them read the reports of the children's courts in any city, and let them find out the state of the children's minds in every public school, and let them send to Dr. Jenkins, former Health Commissioner of New York, for some statistics of the health conditions.

In plain talking by parents lies the only hope of the race.

Fables of Broadway by Dorothy Dix

"KNOW IT ALL" "THE OTHER MAIDEN"

ONCE upon a Time there was a Man who had the Whole Wide World in which to seek a Wife and the entire feminine Menagerie from which to select a Running Mate.

"I do not wish to make Any Mistake in this," he reflected, "for I am Wise that when you are Married you are Married for a very Long time and that it is apt to seem Longer. Therefore, before I raise any More Woman to the [illegible] Exalted position of being my Soul Partner I shall look over the whole exhibit of Dollkins and take the Best."

Therefore for many Moons he did Marathons up and down Broadway and frequented Balls and took in Pink Teas and other Functions where the Lady Candidates for Matrimony hold out. Each of the Bunches of Chiffon possessed Attractions and Drawbacks, but at last he picked out for a winner a Small and Insignificant looking Maiden who was a little Shy on Beauty, but who was [illegible] Domestic Qualifications and had no Intellectual [illegible] ings whatever.

"This will be about Right," said the Man to himself as he threw a few Bouquets at his Sound Judgment, "for I opine that in Matrimony it is More Necessary to have a Wife who Admires You than it is to have a Wife whom you Admire."

Nor did the Man fall down on the [illegible] he had played. As a Wife the Lady was the Gold Fringe [illegible] no mistake. Furthermore, she was [illegible] Woozy about [illegible] Husband [illegible] to the Doing a Wife's Duty thing [illegible] Seeing [illegible] Husband had a Bank [illegible] she [illegible]

"Look over the whole exhibit of Dollkins and take the best."

He [illegible] Cooking [illegible] Sewing Machine [illegible] Example of [illegible]

down in the Goody goody Books this should have won her Husband's Undying Devotion, and he should have spent his Days telling her how he loved and Appreciated her for all [illegible] for him. Unfortunately, however, things do not turn out that way in Real Life. Instead of the Lady cinching the man's applause they had not been married long before he began to Contrast her with [illegible] Females and Tout their charms to her.

"Why have you not a Beautiful, Tall Willowy Straight Front Figure such as the Living Pictures have that I see Promenading on Fifth Avenue?" he would say. "It grouches me that you look Sawed Off and, [illegible] when I admire Queenly Females so much."

At these words the Wife would shed a few Tears of Mortification, but as she was a Good Little Thing she would seek to Please him and make him forget her lack of Pulchritude by going off and preparing his Favorite Dish for Supper. Nor would this have the desired effect of gaining [illegible] Good Will for her, for even as he Gobbled [illegible] he would [illegible] her for looking like a Human Rag Bag instead of a Fashion Plate.

"If there is one thing that gets my Number," he would say, "it is a woman who is a Swell Dresser and who always has on the Glad Raiment, and it gets past me why you always present the appearance of a Hand Me Down Advertisement."

[illegible] a Conscientious Wife the Lady [illegible] from reminding him that [illegible] money at [illegible] Made was because they Were Home Made so she went off in Private and got a half Nelson on her Budget [illegible] made over her Old Hat so that she [illegible] have a New One.

Nor was this [illegible] Of an evening when

"Did Marathons up and down Broadway and frequented balls, and took in pink teas and other functions where the Lady Candidates for Matrimony hold out."

they would sit about the Steam Radiator in an Imitation of a Happy Home he would say:

"Alas, how Unfortunate it is that you [illegible] not keep in the Intellectual running [illegible] the Advanced Females! It is a [illegible] to Associate with a Brilliant Woman like the S[illegible]agette that I met to-day who has read all the Six Best Sellers, and can [illegible] a Cultured and Clever Creature [illegible] as I am, while the only thing you ever read is the Cook Book."

[illegible] who was indeed a Model of [illegible] refrained from [illegible] Back Talk at this and [illegible] got his Hammer again.

[illegible] Woman," he exclaimed, ob[illegible]

"Lambast her for looking like a Human Rag Bag instead of a Fashion Plate."

serving that she had Corns on her Paws, "do you not know that the way to retain a Husband's love is to take care of your Personal Appearance? Why do you not keep your Nails manicured, and your hands in a Squeezable Condition [illegible] Peaches I meet out in Society?

"I have also contrasted your S[illegible] Hatted [illegible]" he continued, "with [illegible] of the [illegible] of the Chorus and it [illegible] with Pain and Mortification. Why do you not get a Move on you, for I apprehend that there is nothing that captivates the Masculine Fancy as Airy Grace in a Female?"

At last the Wife, who was Deeply in love with her Husband, and earnestly desirous to come up to his Ideals, went to a Soothsayer and told him her Troubles.

"I do not understand this thing," she said, "for my Husband had the Pick of the Lot and he Selected me. If he had wanted a Tall Wife why did he not Marry a Girl with a Telephone Figure in the First Place, instead of choosing a Short one and Blaming her for not Stretching up to his Measure?

"If he yearned for Intellectual companionship why did he not Marry a High Browed Lady whose long suit was Ibsen, instead of trying up with one whose Stronghold is Entrees?

"If he admires Languorous Grace above everything else in a Woman why did he Propose to one whose Greatest Accomplishment consists in being a First Class Worker?

"If High Spirits and Giddy Mirth and a Frou-Frou Swagger in a Female was what got him Going and kept him Really Interested in a Woman, pray elucidate the Mystery of why he chose a Life Partner whose letter of Recommendation was that she was Meek and Quiet and had a Soft Pedal Voice?"

"My Daughter," replied the Soothsayer, "tin the Queries! Put them on ice, for no Solomon has yet arisen who can explain why a Man Marries for One thing and then Kicks because it isn't something else.

"Go back home and console yourself with the reflection that all Husbands are alike and that you are being held up as a Model to other Wives. The Man who married the Stately Goddess is demanding to know why she is not Little and Cute like you. The Extravagant Dresser is being Lambasted because she does not wear Simple Home Made Frocks like yours. The Spouse of the Literary Lady never sits down to a Meal that he does not throw your Cooking in her Face, and the Pretty and Helpless Creature listens to Long Monologues on how a Noble Wife like you can be a Real Helpmate to her husband."

"Doubtless you are Right," replied the wife, "but it seems to my Feeble Feminine Mind that when a Husband Criticises his Wife he admits that he had Bum Taste and that his Judgment was on the Blink, for he Picked her out."

"That is true," replied the Soothsayer, "and I am strong for the theory that a Man who gets Married should Back his own Pick, and be Sport enough not to Squeal."

Moral: This Fable teaches that Men should Select their Feminine Ideals before Marriage instead of afterwards.

DOROTHY DIX.

THE DOTTY DIALOGUES

By WEX JONES

"I SEE," said Jinks, "that there is a society now to train animals by psychic suggestion. [illegible] think that too [illegible] is used by trainers, and that their method will lighten the burden of life for tigers."

"What is this psychic suggestion," asked Blinks.

"Psychic persuasion," explained Jinks, "is sending a thought wave to the tiger, seal or whatever you want to train. If you want the tiger to jump through a hoop, for instance, you send waves of thought into its mind, and if you send enough waves the animal is irresistibly impelled to jump through the hoop."

"That sounds very much like the old scheme of [illegible] a roaring lion or a savage bull[illegible] by looking the beast steadily in the eye. I never was much of a psy[illegible], and I'd sooner trust to a rifle or a [illegible] when I saw a lion or a dog looking skew-eyed at me."

"I tried the [illegible] on a lion," said Jinks, "and [illegible] all right."

"You tried it on a lion!" exclaimed Blinks. "I never knew that you were in any lion country."

"This was in the Bronx Zoo," Jinks explained. "A big fellow was lying close to the bars and I [illegible] into his eyes. Finally he got up and moved away to the back of the cage."

"How long were you doing the hypnotic stare?"

"About twenty minutes."

"I suppose," said Blinks, "that the lion had to get up some time, unless he was a stuffed one. You only had to keep on gazing at him long enough and he'd have come back to the bars again."

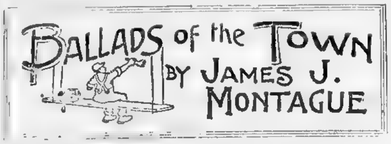
"Anyway, this psychic persuasion is different," retorted Jinks. "The Society for Zoological Psychology says [illegible] they train a leopard to jump on a little platform nowadays? They show him the platform and wallop him with a whip. How will Zoological Psychologist do the same thing? He will look firmly but soothingly at the 'spotted denizen of the desert,' and psychologically persuade it that the one thing it most desires is to be allowed to hop up on that same little platform."

"I don't exactly see how you convey the suggestion," said Blinks.

"I [illegible] looking steadily at you now," answered Jinks, "and conveying a suggestion to your mind. Do you guess what it is?"

"Mostly, when you give me that long, silent look, a mixture of anxiety and anticipation, you are suggesting, 'Let us go out and have just one—mind you, only one.' Is that what it is, now?"

"No, no," said Jinks. "I was suggesting that you get a little sense."



BALLADS of the TOWN BY JAMES J. MONTAGUE

"I SEEN the sights of old New York," exulted Abner Moore,
Reclining on a keg of pork in Mullin's general store.

"Do tell us 'bout the Stock Exchange," said Uncle Joel Ayers,
"Where all them curious critters range that's known as bulls an' bears."

"The Stock Exchange?" said Abner Moore, "Yes, I remember that;
That's where that constable got sore and smashed in my best hat."

"And how about Longacre Square," asked Mullin, with a leer;
"They say there's awful doin's there, that's never heard of here."

"Longacre Square? Oh, yes, I know," said Abner with a sigh.
"That's where I tried to see a show, an' got his here black eye."

"Kin you recall Fifth Avenue?" 'twas Peter Jenks who spoke,
"Fifth Avenue? You bet I do! That's where my head was broke."

"You seen that gay White Way down there," asked little Benjy Brown.
"Why sure," said Abner, "that was where a trolley run me down."

"Of course you went to Harlem, Ab," commented Egbert Chase.
"Yep. Went there in a taxicab. The driver punched my face."

"You took a subway ride, no doubt. Get hurt, by any chance?"
"I did," said Ab. "When I got out 'twas in an ambulance."

"They took you up to Bellevue, then?" asked Deacon Harvey Hale.
"Not much," said Abner. "Guess again. They hustled me to jail.

"I had a lovely suite of rooms down in a health resort—
The gay New Yorkers call the Tombs—before I went to court.

The judge, he sits there, scowlin' black, the while a guard explains,
I'm charged with fallin' on the track an' cloggin' up the trains.

The judge he scowls a whole lot more, an' pretty soon he speaks,
'You go to Blackwell's Island for a term o' fifteen weeks.'

"When I got out I come right home to get a little rest.
For anywhere a chap may roam, the old homeplace is best.

"But, anyway," and Ab arose from off the keg of pork,
"There's lots o' pleasure, goodness knows, in seein old New York."

Admiral Schley

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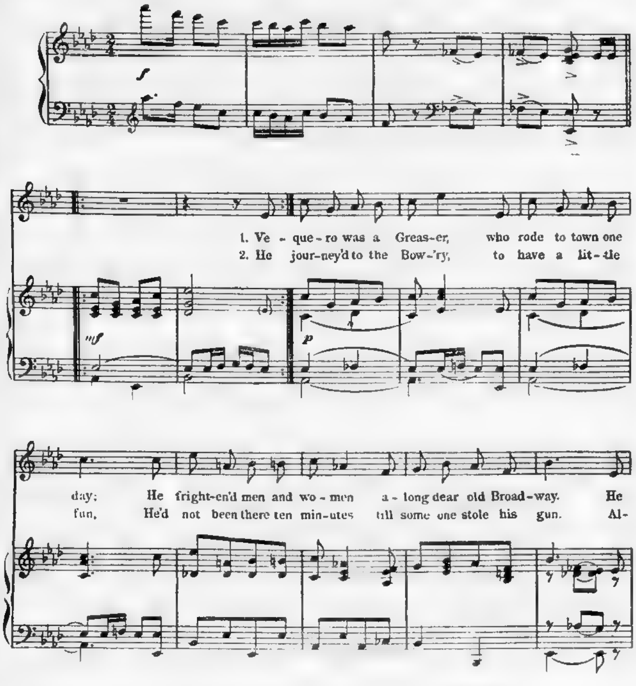

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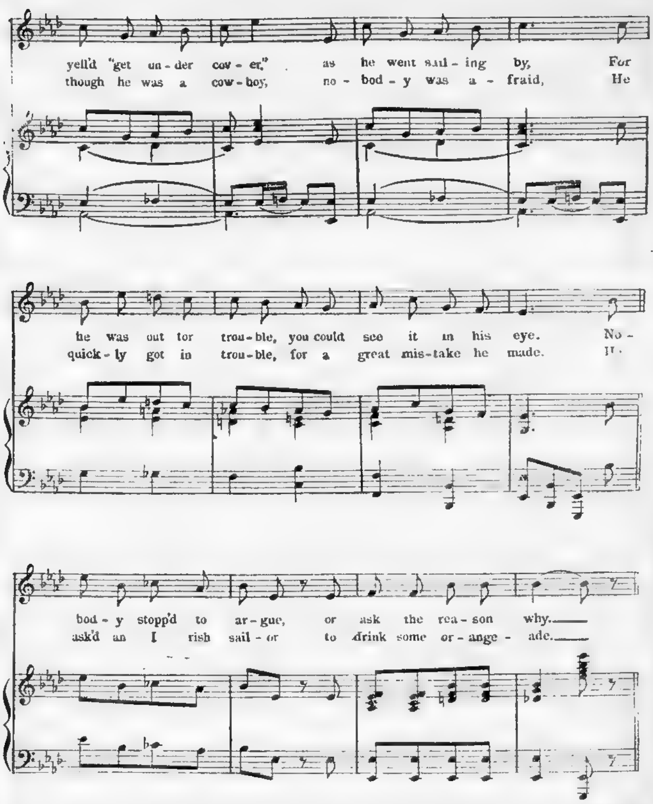

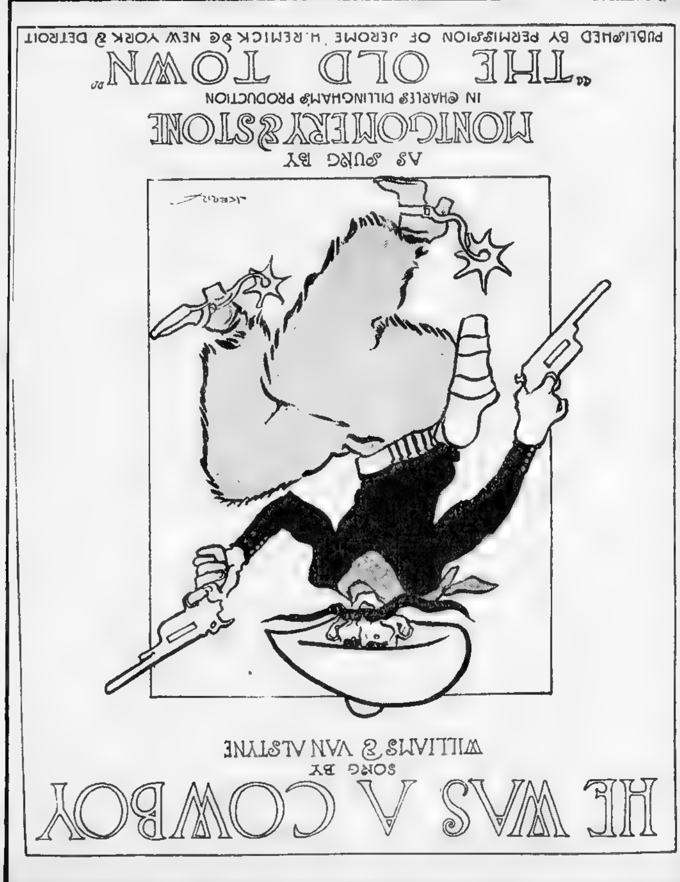

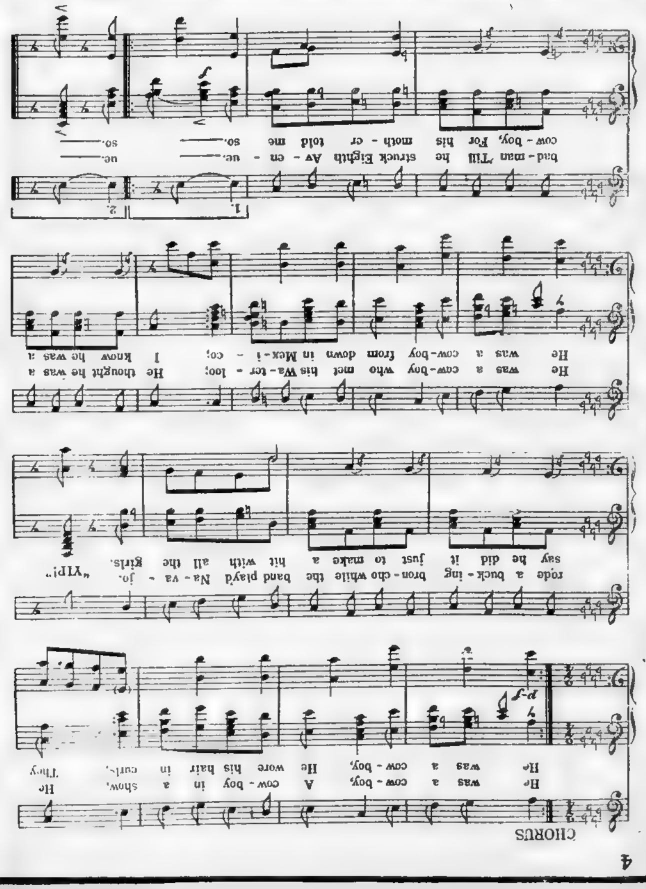

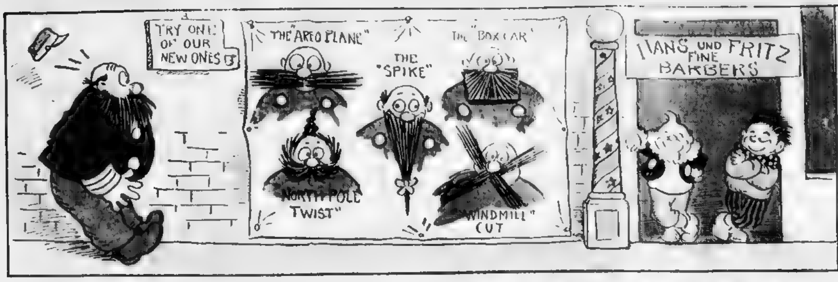

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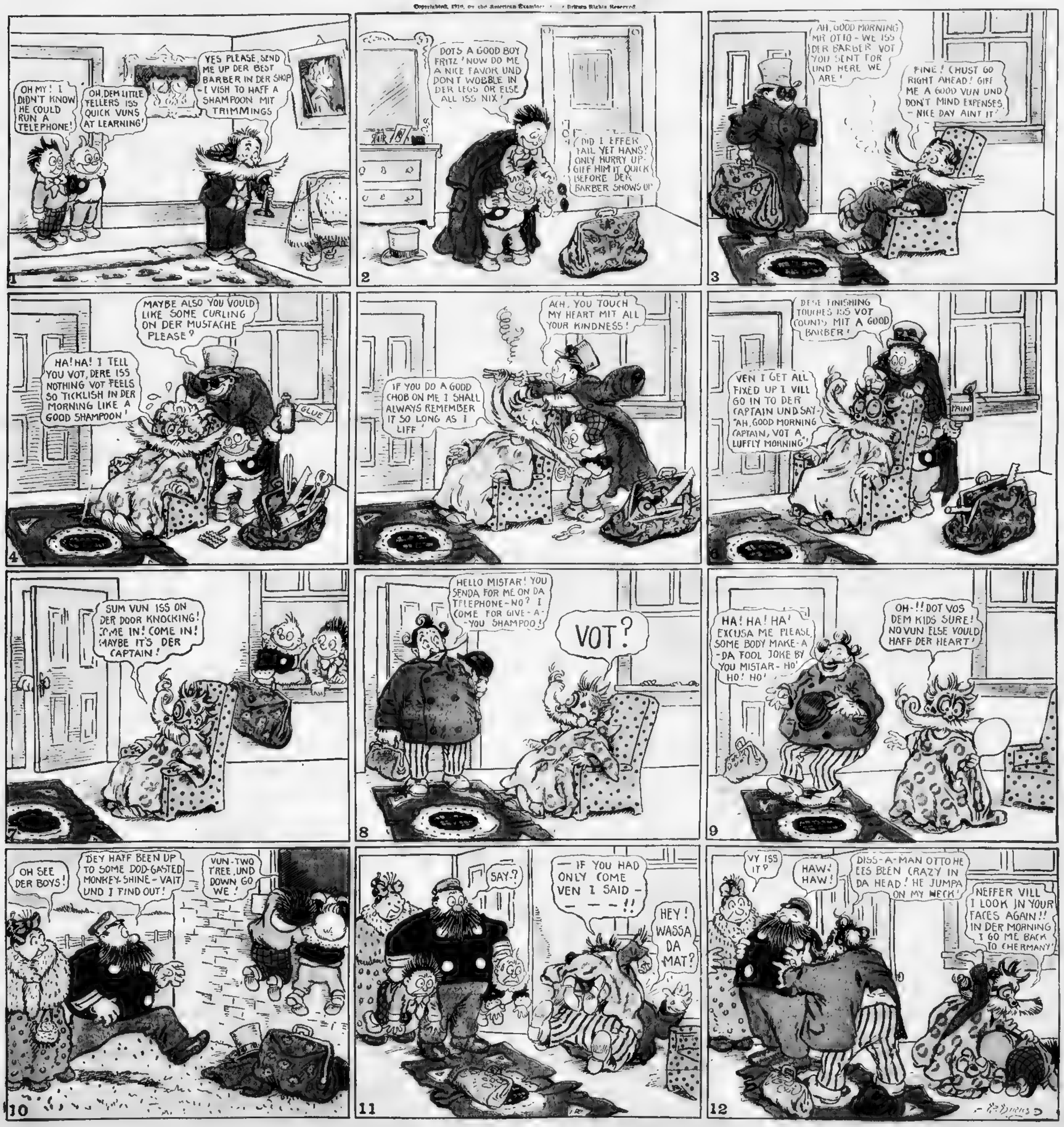

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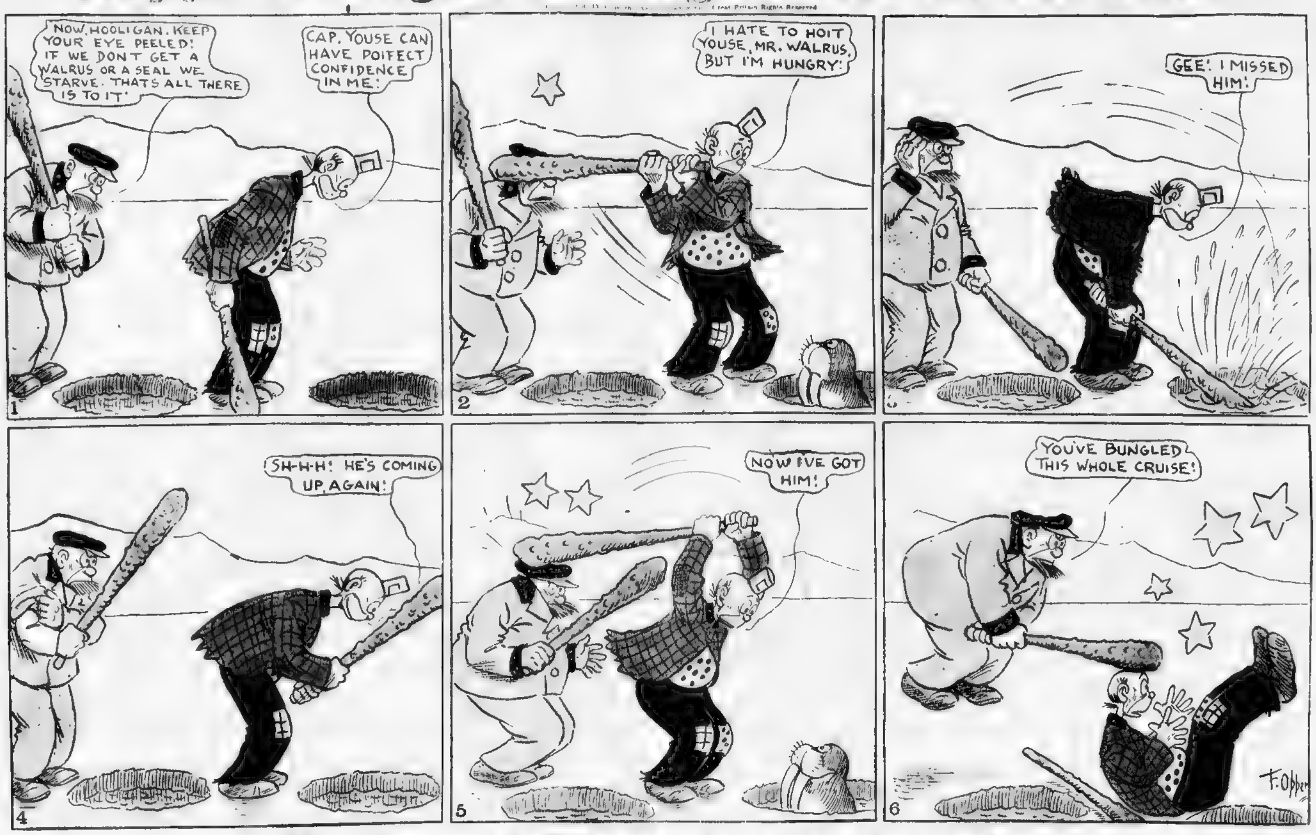

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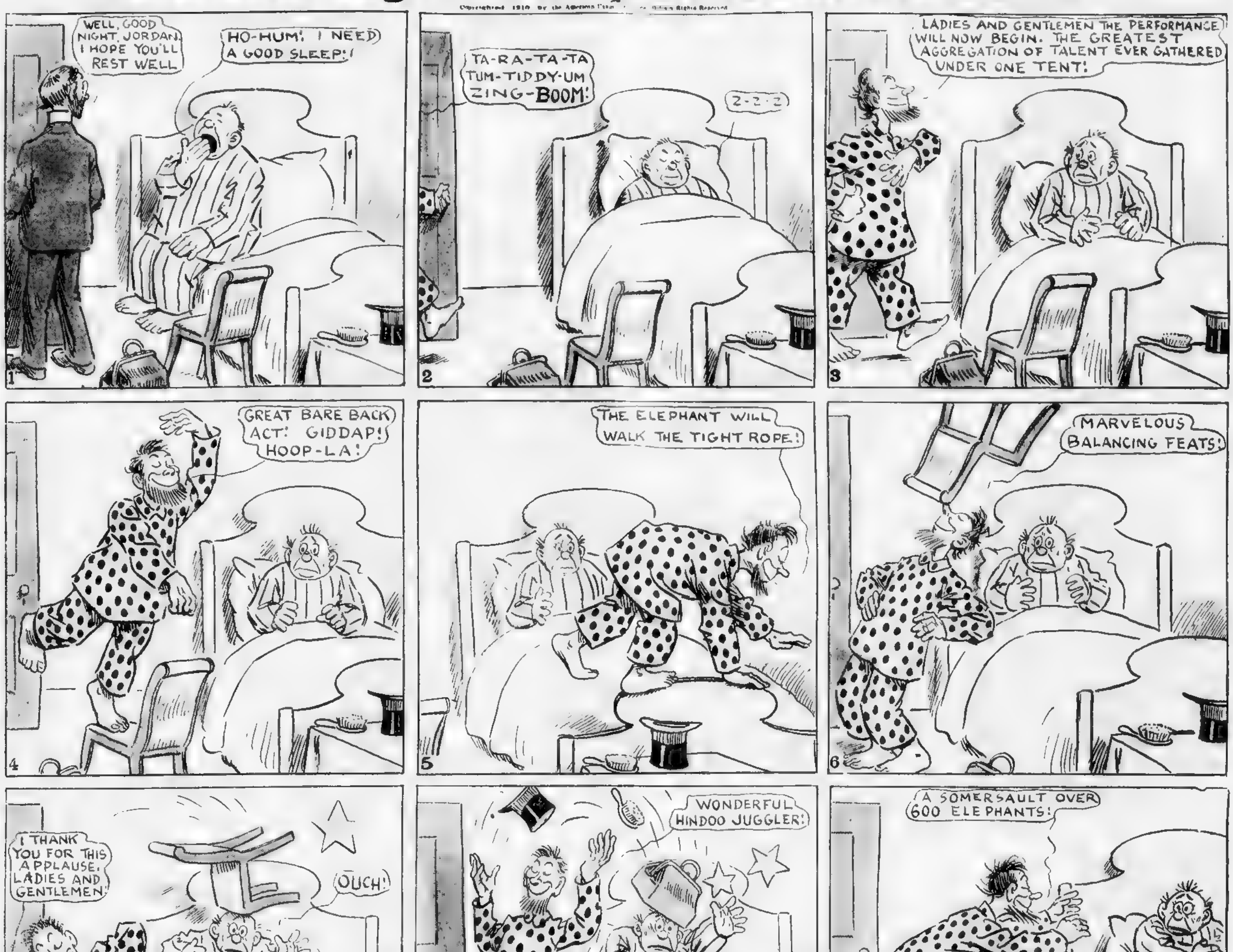

FRIENDSHIP, FRIENDS AND FRIENDLY
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BUSTER, RUN TO THE LAUNDRY AND GET MY SHIRTS
DING A LING! LAUNDRY
I WISH I WERE A LINGUIST LIKE LING
ARE THOSE BOYS FRIENDS OF YOURS?
THATS MY GANG
LETS INITIATE HIM INTO THE "KNIGHTS OF THE FULL DRESS SHIRTS"
YOU'RE ON BILL!
GRAB A SHIRT BOYS
THIS IS THE FONDEST FUN WE'RE OF
WELL I'M IN THE HANDS OF MY FRIENDS
THIS IS THE WAY A MAN'S FRIENDS ALWAYS TREAT HIM. OTHERS DONT DARE
FOR HE'S A JOLLY GOOD FELLOW
LEFT, LEFT, I HAD A GOOD HOME AND I LEFT
LEFT, LEFT, MY FATHER CAME HOME AND I LEFT MARCH
BROWN'S KITCHEN
PA, HERE ARE YOUR SHIRTS
HOWDY DO, MR BROWN
THANKS PA I'M MUCH OBLIGED
THOSE BOYS ARE NOT GOOD FRIENDS OF MINE, THEY ARE ONLY ACQUAINTANCES
RESOLVED
THAT FRIENDSHIP IS A VERY BEAUTIFUL THING. "A FRIEND IS ONE SOUL IN TWO BODIES."! "TO HAVE FRIENDS YOU MUST BE ONE." "A TRUE FRIEND IS FOREVER A FRIEND." YOUR FRIEND IS NOT THE ONE WHO IS ALWAYS ASKING YOU TO DO SOMETHING YOU DONT CARE TO DO. A TRUE FRIEND IS 'NT JEALOUS. FRIENDSHIP IS LOVE. AND NO ONE THAT LOVES ME WILL IMPOSE OBLIGATIONS UPON ME, OR EXPECT ME TO DO FOR HIM WHAT HE WOULD NOT DO FOR ME. IN MY HEART THERE IS A PLACE FOR EACH FRIEND. NO ONE CAN EVER OCCUPY THAT PLACE EXCEPT IT'S OWNER. DONT USE YOUR FRIEND. THE LESS YOU USE A THING THE LONGER IT LASTS. TIGE NEVER ASKS ANYTHING BUT LOVE FROM ME I NEVER HAVE TO ASK A SACRIFICE OF HIM HE OFFERS IT.
R.F. Outcault

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The Newest French Beauties

PERREY

LAURENT FLOQUET

CORTOLA VALENCIA

MADAME LIANE D'AGON

PARIS is the city of women, and there is always a reigning dynasty of Parisian beauties.

They are usually actresses or singers at the cafe concerts, which serve as backgrounds for their beauty

Amusement seekers from all over the world worship at the shrine of these beauties, and kings and princes head the procession

Most people have heard of Cleo de Merode and Liane de Pougy and Emilienne d'Alencon and Jeanne Granier, who entertained King Edward when he was younger They are more or less of the past. The new reigning beauties of the boulevards at the present moment are shown on this page

Cortola Valencia, a Spanish dancer, is one of the most beautiful women ever seen in Paris. She is a Spanish girl from Malaga, and she dances as only the daughters of Castile can dance. She has an exquisite figure and face and the grace of a bird. Her beauty is of the typical rich dark Spanish style, and her eyes are wonderful. She is a dainty creature, and speaks French with an enchanting accent

She is a great friend of Don Jaime de Bourbon, the Carlist Pretender to the Spanish throne When he was compelled to leave Paris at the death of his father, Don Carlos, he begged her to leave France with him, but Cortola was well content with Paris This was a crushing blow to Don Jaime, who was so conceited as to believe that she really cared for him, and so he went away furious. Cortola the joyous has since been seen in the society of Prince Philip of Coburg

The lovely Valencia has many exquisite jewels, and her furs are the talk of Paris. She has a coat of Russian crown sable that reaches to the ground It cost $60,000 When she appears on the street in it out of her carriage a small mob follows her, for nowhere in the world are furs appreciated as in Paris, where even the street sweepers know the value of them

Laurent Floquet is a sumptuous beauty She has a creamy skin, dark, soft eyes and a superb figure. She has been called the hope of Russia, because she attracts the Russian Grand Dukes away from home so persistently. She has received many offers from Russian managers to go to St. Petersburg and Moscow, but she will not leave her beloved Paris They argue that the world desires to see her, but she responds that the world comes to her Just at present Floquet has the Grand Duke Nicholas at her feet

Floquet is one of the most smartly dressed women in Paris She is a striking figure at the races, in the Bois and at the great restaurants. She wears her clothes with remarkable grace, and is a stunning looking creature

Liane de Vries is another of the Paris "royal beauties," as they are called. She is admired by a German Prince of royal blood, who is desperately in love with her. He is a handsome fellow, and is determined not to submit to the will of the Emperor, who

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How Your Hands Grew From the Fin of the Ancient Mud Fish.

And How Machines, Which the Human Hand Built To Save It Trouble, Are Making It—Thinks the Distinguished Surgeon Sir Frederick Treves—a Mud Fish Fin Again.

The Very Odd Aie-Aie, Which Has Developed an Extraordinary Hand Because It Likes to Eat—and Has to Dig for—Worms.

WITH his hand and [illegible] made himself [illegible] world. It [illegible] out the brain the hand [illegible] little, but it is also a question how much the brain could have accomplished without the digits to work [illegible] commands. Dr. Carl W. Neumann, of Berlin University, whose article [illegible] the development of the organ ap[illegible] on this page, holds that a creature en-dowed with [illegible] brain would have made itself master even without hands, but Professor Ernst Haeckel, of Jena University, and other evolutionists disagree with [illegible]

Whatever might have been, the hand is. Next to the brain, it has become the highest developed and most highly specialized part of the human body. What have been the steps of its progress?

The human hand, whether it chisel [illegible] in stone or wield a pick, had [illegible] in the breast fin of a mud [illegible] its food in the ooze of the Devonian age, [illegible] recent inves[illegible] [illegible]

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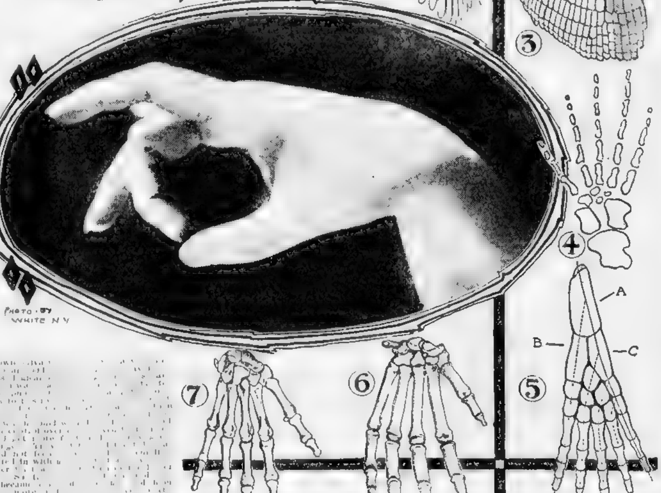


The Evolution of the Human Hand.

1—Skeleton of the breast fin of the Devonian age mud fish, the ceratodus, the first stage of the hand. a the original shoulder blades; b, the arm; c, the fin end and branches.

2—Skeleton of the breast fin of an early selachius, which evolved from the mud fish the "hand portion," which has grown stronger is indicated by lines.

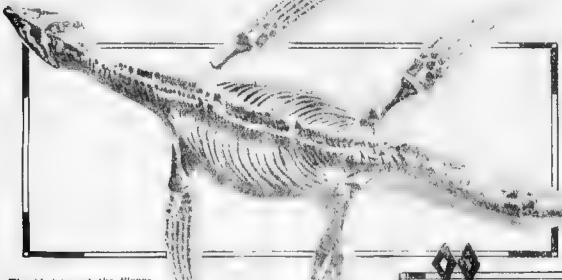
3—The breast fin of a later selachius, verging on the lizard type—a, the shaded portion, the forming hand; the lighter portion is the less used part of the fin, which is becoming atrophied.

4—Fragments of the skeleton of the hand of the homeosaurus, a later link toward which the five-boned typical hand form has now begun to appear more plainly.

5—The skeleton of the fore-leg of an ancient amphibian, the next step in the progression—a, the primitive upper arm; b and c, the lower arm, below the wrist bones and potential fingers.

6—Skeleton of a gorilla's hand; the wrist has developed and the finger and thumb bones are strong and thick.

7—The skeleton of the human hand at its full development, which grew, like the beautiful hand of Lole Fuller, shown in the central photograph, from the mud fish fin figure marked 1.



The Skeleton of the Plesiosaur, an Extinct Lizard, Showing the Five Fingered "Hands."

The Fossil Footprints of the "Chirotherium," Which Put Scientists on the Track of the Origin of the Human Hand.

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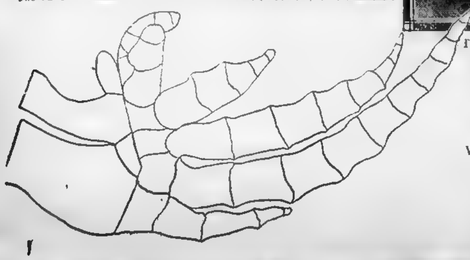
The Famous Sculptor, Kuhne Beveridge, Modelling a Clay Bust. Her Hands Had to Develop Special Fitness to Do This. In the Same Way the Ancient Fish Developed His Fins by Conquering the Mud While in Search for Food.



The Skeleton of a Whale's Flipper, Showing the Five Fingered Structure That Proves it is Not a Fin But a Degenerate Hand.

[illegible] days when it was confined to the [illegible] of flints and the preparation of hides for garments has been so amazing as almost to stagger contemplation.

"But with the perfection of mechanical skill the zenith has been passed. We are losing as a race the capacity for the finer movement of the fingers now that the loom, the sewing machine and the typewriter have reduced the products of a million hands into a soulless level of uniformity, and threaten its supremacy as an organ."

Incidentally, like many wise saws of the people, the expression "tip us your fin" for "shake hands" is shown to have a deep evolutionary meaning.

How Man Came to Have Five Fingers.

By PROF. CARL W. NEUMANN, of Berlin University.

I[illegible] and positive form.

The most astonishing fact about this discovery was that the impression of the forefeet and the much larger hindfeet bore a [illegible]

[illegible] What kind of beast [illegible] these strange footprints [illegible] therefore [illegible] "Chirotherium" [illegible] the possession of a prehensile hand [illegible] the prehistoric world [illegible] for all the higher vertebrates possessing pentadactyl extremities with an opposable thumb [illegible] prehistoric creation farther back than the "Chirotherium" [illegible] walked over the mud [illegible] When the coal beds were [illegible]

[illegible] we found a place to grow on the soft, boggy [illegible] must have [illegible] a depression in [illegible] which was already inhabited by [illegible] not yet [illegible] exists.

Are we then to [illegible] the human hand for [illegible] origin the fin of the mudfish?

Science answers [illegible] and as evidence points to a highly interesting [illegible] which is not exclusively a water animal, but is not a land animal [illegible] is the mudfish or lungfish of Australia, known to science [illegible] has been well described as a living [illegible] it is the only survivor of an otherwise [illegible] of animals which populated the earth at the [illegible] of the carboniferous age. The Ceratodus is [illegible] with two methods of breathing. In the rainy [illegible] the stream in which he makes his home is [illegible] water he breathes like a true fish, through his [illegible] of the [illegible] in Summer [illegible] out of [illegible] he breathes the air freely [illegible] his lungs. Through a creature like the salamander fish, Nature must have made the bridge by which our ancestors passed from exclusive water-dwellers to life on land. Among them, also, we must seek the origin of the five-toed feet.

[illegible] anatomist, Karl Gegenbaur, says that [illegible] of the [illegible] which we formerly held [illegible] nothing but many-toed feet. The [illegible] rays of the fins correspond to the fingers and [illegible] of the higher vertebrates. If the fin is the original [illegible] from which the hand develops, then the numerous [illegible] of the fin must have been reduced in some way to [illegible] This process does not appear probable in the highly [illegible] steering organ of the higher fishes.

But we gain quite a different view when we study the [illegible] which possesses to-day four very primitive [illegible] in the shape of a fern leaf. Each fin consists of a strong central stem with numerous articulated [illegible] on each side. On these fins, which are apparently predestined to become legs, the Ceratodus, or lungfish, is accustomed to rest at the bottom of the water.

Let us suppose that in the far distant Devonian period the fins of some species of Ceratodus became developed [illegible] in the forward movement of the body so that the conquest of the water might be better attained. The main [illegible] of the fin and the side branches which are most useful for movement would have grown stronger, while the [illegible] rays would have grown weaker until they finally disappeared altogether from disuse. What remained then of the fernlike fin of the Ceratodus would have been a [illegible] foot, which in course of time would become [illegible] to its needs. [illegible] however, does not settle [illegible] of the five fingers and toes which we, together with all the [illegible] descended from [illegible] These must have arisen later, for so[illegible]

[illegible] we must regard the Ceratodus as [illegible] the possessor of the original five-fingered [illegible] from which the hand of man, as well that of other animals, is derived. We must thank the Ceratodus for our [illegible] system and our method of counting, which [illegible] upon the ten fingers. When we celebrate [illegible] and centenaries, we should pay some honor to the original [illegible] ancestor of the higher vertebrates who, millions of years after his death, through his Australian cousin the Ceratodus, has put science on the path of unravelling the problem, of how men came to have five fingers.

THE NEWEST FRENCH BEAUTIES.

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[illegible] him vigorously. It is said that the Emperor fears that this prince of his realm may lose his head, as two or three German princes have done, and marry the stage beauty.

There is one little sprite of a beauty in Paris—Anna Perrey, who is the delight of the very young and unsophisticated. She is a gay little creature, with a piquant beauty of her own. The former Crown Prince of Servia, deprived of his rank for his wild conduct, succumbed to her charms completely and spent all his time dangling about her. He was quite willing to marry her.

Mme. Liane d'Agon has written a book of charming stories for children as sweet and as pure as "Alice in Wonderland."

Mlle. Liane has masses of dark red hair, deep blue eyes and a skin of creamy whiteness. She has no color in her cheeks, but she is more beautiful without it, her dark red hair and the creamy white making a striking effect. Liane's photographs are sent far and wide. One photographer had orders for a full set to be sent to the Chamberlain of the King of Siam, and undoubtedly the photos are intended for the huge collection of the King of beautiful women of all countries. The young Spanish monarch has been making his collection for four years, and he has a fine eye for the perception of feminine loveliness.

Mlle. Ricotti, of the opera, was at Aix les Bains last Summer at the same time as the King of Greece. The two were together all the time at the Casino at dinner and in the gambling rooms. Ricotti is a singer of no small fame, and the King loves a beautiful voice. Ricotti has a charming retrousse nose and very beautiful eyes, and she is exceedingly gay and light-hearted and kept the King laughing continually, making him forget his troubles, which bore heavily upon him last Summer.

Regina Badet is another Paris beauty of the stage. She has a refined sort of loveliness, and is a dainty, well-bred creature, who always looks like a picture, so charmingly does she dress.

She has been admired by many royalties from near and far.

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LADY DUFF-GORDON ON HER ART—

—What it is that Makes the Really Great Dressmaker Explained by "Lucile"—the Greatest Creator of Fashions in the World.

ON THIS page last Sunday it was announced that Lady Duff-Gordon, of London, the greatest living creator of fashions, and known at her famous establishment in London as "Lucile," had arranged to open an American branch at No. 17 West Thirty-sixth street, New York City. By special arrangement with Lady Duff-Gordon, she will conduct the Fashion Department of this newspaper and will write the Fashion article each Sunday and supply the illustrations from sketches or photographs of the newest designs in her New York and London establishments.—Editor.

SITTING in her drawing room [illegible] apartments at the Waldorf-Astoria, which she has made her temporary headquarters while arranging the details of her new American establishment, Lady Duff-Gordon discussed the art of dress designing.

"It is fair to say, I think, that dressmaking is one of the arts," she said. "Every person who is engaged in designing, cutting and fitting wearing apparel is by no means an artist [illegible] is every person who is engaged in making marks with a pencil and brush an artist.

"The great distinguishing difference between the many makers of things to wear and the few very few—truly great dressmakers lies in the fact that the real creator and leader of fashion must be a true artist.

"The really great designer must have a natural born [illegible] sense which must include an [illegible] knowledge of color harmony, a sense of proportion, an appreciation of the eternal fitness of things, a poetical imagination, a reasonably good knowledge of human anatomy, a peculiar understanding of fabrics, and, perhaps, above all else, a thorough grasp on the great principles of psychology and the power to apply the resources of psychology to art.

"Now, all this may seem to be a rather extraordinary conception of the necessary essentials which go to make up the really great dressmaker. But I have thought a great deal on the subject, and I am quite sure that it is the possession of all of these many and various faculties which distinguish the really great fashion creator from the mere mechanical blundering maker of clothes.

"The elder Worth was a great dress designer in his day, and his name still stands for the highest type of creator and designer of the perfect gown as applied to each individual for whom his master mind worked out the problem of clothes. But who is living to-day who is what might be called a really great designer? Is there even one really great designer [illegible] Paris or in all Europe? Is there even one in all America to-day? Mrs. Osborn had, in many respects, the peculiar qualifications which I have outlined. But she has passed, and there is no one to take her place. Of course we all know that in many of the leading dressmaking houses they have really no 'head'—a manager who has graduated from the sewing machine [illegible] the real moving power [illegible] houses. Ask any of them [illegible] Sit down and talk with [illegible] and see how [illegible] lacking they are in [illegible] great essentials I have named.

"The great artist works intuitively. The great artist is born, is not created [illegible] and [illegible] working [illegible] details. The really great artist knows color harmony [illegible] it is impossible for [illegible] great artist [illegible] color. [illegible] grotesque and shocking color combinations we see [illegible] from the great dressmaking establishments of the world every day."

And so [illegible] of the other necessary essentials that go to make up the perfect artist in dressmaking [illegible] it is impossible to [illegible] the details [illegible] making of the perfect harmonious gown.

Lady Duff-Gordon rose [illegible] chair and turned the pages of some current fashion magazine of Paris and New York and rapidly pointed out, here and there, the disharmonies in the combinations of colors, trimmings and fabrics.

"There," she said, pointing to an elaborate gown. "That dress was made for a very beautiful lady by one of the great French couturieres. [illegible] wearing it in London, and she was positively ugly in it. Yet, you see, the dress is charming [illegible]

[illegible]

"That was one [illegible] Paris dressmaker did not [illegible]

[illegible]

"When a woman [illegible] fabrics to harmonize [illegible]

[illegible]

Asked what [illegible] great dress designer, Lady Duff-Gordon [illegible]

[illegible] am [illegible] though not only [illegible] study my patrons from [illegible] way the clothes that I make seem to belong to them, to be part and parcel of their individuality [illegible] When a new patron comes to me I study her [illegible] My intuitive gifts are enormous [illegible] were born with me. I read character [illegible] and when I make designs for my patrons I am making clothes to fit their natures."

This, then, is the chief secret of [illegible] extraordinary power of [illegible] people, that amazing personal way of designing things which she possesses and which has captivated all the fashionable [illegible] world with her gowns. [illegible] delight in dressing plain women with poor figures, she said, because [illegible] turn the [illegible] upon them [illegible] as beauties.

Lady Duff-Gordon's [illegible] those of any other dressmaker. When a patron comes to her and says she wants a gown, this artist does not simply go ahead and [illegible] a stereotyped creation for the occasion, but she immediately cross-examines [illegible]. For example, if some one says she wants an evening gown, Lady Duff-Gordon asks [illegible] is for a dinner or a large or small ball, [illegible] what sort of function it is intended [illegible]

"If my customer wants an evening or ball [illegible] gown for a large ball [illegible] whether she desires the gown to be of striking effect [illegible]

"If [illegible] customer [illegible] gown for small affairs, I must produce an effect which will attract chiefly those who are close at hand and will not be of striking effect across the length of a large ballroom."

"If the patron desires [illegible] the gown to attract attention from across the ballroom, then Lady Duff-Gordon designs the gown 'large,' as she describes it.

[illegible] Every detail is very striking and [illegible] brilliant things are used for [illegible] upon it.

If, on the other hand, it is only to attract those near at hand, the design is carried out more delicately with small [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] ideas and fabrics and [illegible] she [illegible] know [illegible] She [illegible] in detail [illegible] the link needed to complete [illegible]

"I live in my art [illegible] gowns all the time, when I [illegible] awake and when I am asleep [illegible] gowns.

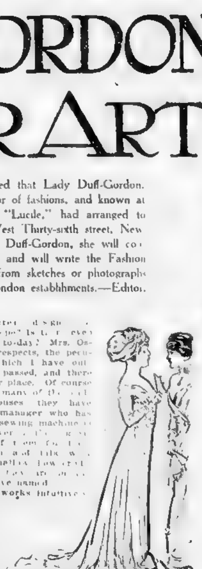
[illegible] genius [illegible] night [illegible] which [illegible] that is exactly what I [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] of her own [illegible] she utilizes [illegible] women, and then use of her breeding [illegible]

> "If my customer wants an evening gown for a large ball, I inquire at once whether she desires the gown to be of striking effect when seen from across the room."

> "If the customer does not expect to attend large functions, but desires a gown for small affairs, I must produce an effect which will attract chiefly those who are close at hand and will not be of striking effect across the length of a large ballroom."



Who Lady Duff-Gordon Is.

LADY DUFF-GORDON ("Lucile") is the [illegible] one of the [illegible] creators of styles [illegible] She is to-day [illegible]

[illegible] Worth of Paris [illegible] Lady Duff [illegible] model [illegible] the Paris [illegible]

[illegible] to her for the season two years ago.

[illegible] Lady Duff-Gordon [illegible] Hanover Square [illegible] open [illegible] No. 17 West Thirty-sixth street [illegible] Fifth avenue, New York [illegible] will [illegible] divide [illegible] New York and London.

Among [illegible] great [illegible] and Europe [illegible] are the [illegible] Princess of Wales [illegible] Princess [illegible] Queen of Sweden [illegible] of Russia [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] along the walk [illegible] pretty and modest [illegible] the exquisite creations of the designer's [illegible]

Lady Duff-Gordon's husband is Sir Cosmo Edmund Duff-Gordon, fifth baronet. He represents two of the oldest and proudest families in Scotland—the Duffs and the Gordons.

Sir Cosmo Duff-Gordon's ancestral home is Maryculter House, in Kincardineshire, Scotland.

The London house of the Duff Gordons is in Lennox Gardens and is noted in fashionable society for the beauty of its furniture and decorations, which were designed by Lady Duff-Gordon herself.

In addition to their town house and place in Scotland, they have a villa at Versailles, near Paris, where her ladyship goes twice a year to buy materials.

Lady Duff-Gordon is a sister of Elinor Glyn, the novelist, and a daughter of the late Douglas Sutherland, a brilliant genius who died in London at the age of twenty-six, and was, even at

Newest Photograph of Lady Duff-Gordon, Posed by Col. Theodore Marceau for This Page at the Marceau Studios, No. 258 Fifth ave., New York.

"Lucile's" Original Model of a "Queenly Gown" and Wrap for the Duchess of Connaught.

Straight foundation slip, flesh pink satin; over slip pale pink chiffon; elaborate overdress, pale sea-green chiffon, silver embroidery, flounces and long silver fringes. Wrap of old rose velvet; lining shirred white lace, gold embroidery; bands of skunk; silver gauze rose wreaths; tiny frills of palest blue chiffon. Hat blue velvet, skunk fur; crown of black tulle over white osprey in front, held by white tulle bow and brilliants. Muff, velvet and skunk.

"Lucile" Model of a "Simplicity Gown" Made for Viscountess Helmsley.

Slip frock of white charmeuse satin; upper body flesh-colored satin; gown of elaborately trimmed white satin inset with white lace; girdle and neck embroidery. About bust and under white tulle corsage pale blue ribbon ending in bow at side. Similar band just above the knees.

AND—

"A Worldly Gown."

Main slip bright yellow charmeuse satin; overslip sheer white tulle embroidered heavily in brilliant yellow silk; embroidery massed over corsage cut to show yoke of transparent yellow tulle and transparent white tulle sleeves. Band of pale pink chiffon, silver embroidered across corsage.

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Why American Marriages Fail

Some Wholesome, Tho' Unpleasant, Truths About American Men--and Why American Wives and Mothers Are Hopelessly Unfitted for Their Real Mission in Life.

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"A man has neither the instinct nor the time to coddle his disappointments in marriage—he puts on his hat!"

T[illegible]

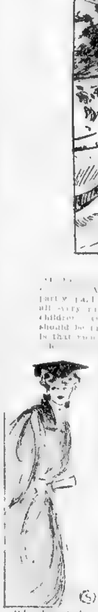
[illegible] germ of divorce in her veins at [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] danger [illegible] sometimes be only partly paid, sometimes begrudgingly, sometimes not at all—very rarely overpaid by either her husband or her children. [illegible] of the precise facts that young women should be taught, as they are taught physical geography, is that [illegible] all [illegible] have their high and low emotional [illegible] immovable stone to her [illegible] life.

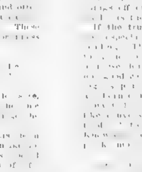
[illegible] that the indiscriminate and [illegible] of the female masses and [illegible] us [illegible] of good ser[illegible] wives [illegible]. They are all [illegible]

[illegible] are capable, earnest, indus[illegible] woman [illegible] good wives and mother [illegible] work and [illegible] time and vitality. These [illegible]



"[illegible] education."

[illegible] faults belong to the sex [illegible] and form too large a sub[illegible]



"Politics to the front."

[illegible] is almost wholly the fault of the men of this country. This opinion is offered only after years of observation and consideration of our social conditions and after a pathological study of American [illegible].

[illegible] this phenomenon would be [illegible] were it not [illegible] hopeless inability to see [illegible]. Nor is the [illegible] of the mother [illegible] of [illegible] with her, as [illegible]. She is the outer citadel which must first succumb to his studied charm.

The American mother is clearly out of her depth at the [start], as unfit as a child to counsel her daughter. She is not equipped for it. It is not her work. In the third place, that subtle relationship of sex which European men [illegible] a woman of whatever age, their attention, their quick courtesy toward women, their habit of listening absorbedly when a woman speaks—all this is so absolutely new to the American mother that she becomes hypnotized by it and can no longer distinguish truth from falsity, or a [illegible] of etiquette from a personal thoughtfulness and delicate tenderness of feeling.

And [illegible] bees flying to [illegible] also bed [illegible] wakes up and gets [illegible] too late.

If the truth were told, most American young men are [illegible] keep up their [illegible] when it comes [illegible] among them are [illegible] men are [illegible] admirably. They [illegible] They are inevitable [illegible] and women [illegible] which at least [illegible] in the game [illegible] own countr[illegible] about our young men.

[illegible] the dignity of [illegible] it is but the [illegible] way of [illegible] of human [illegible] responsibility [illegible] indeed who [illegible]

If [illegible] who labor so many [illegible] some flossy material with drawn-work or embroidery would but give the same time, or even part of it, to the little child's [spirit] instead of its body. Very often we see a princelike body carrying a starving little soul—starving for [illegible] healthy [illegible] alike to children [illegible]

[illegible] country are [illegible] more artificial [illegible] mother's and nurse's task [illegible]

A [illegible] under the age of fifteen from entering any and all theatres might well be passed with profit, taking out of the incompetent hands of mothers any volition in this grave matter. It fills the air—this craze of the merest children for cheap shows in this country; it packs their minds with vulgar trivialities, debases their ideals, perverts their taste. It is becoming daily more frequent. As well feed a child on mushrooms and champagne and expect it ever afterward to relish bread and milk.

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One illustration cut from the matrix of life is worth a chapter of generalities. One Summer night a few years ago four people sat on a high roof near New York City [illegible] far down the bay and over to the Jersey [shore]. There was a middle-aged woman and her son of [illegible] an elderly man and his wife—all [illegible]

[illegible] boasting of her three boys, their [illegible] virtues. Under it all was a very natural [illegible] as if a gardener telling of his roses, and [illegible] freedom from [illegible] worm i' the bud.

A [illegible] politics to the front. The older woman [illegible] the young man.

[illegible] It makes an epoch in [illegible] to marriage, doesn't it? To take [illegible] in the making of history—that [illegible]

[illegible] laughed.

[illegible] and says he never will be [illegible]

[illegible] as [illegible] of a fastidious [illegible]

[illegible] know [illegible]

In the other woman's heart moaned a sad voice: "She is a [illegible] mother." She is [blind], so [illegible] does not see the truth!"

Women fret themselves and others for the right to vote and they do not see that their son's vote, their brother's, their friend's, is verily their own. They cry out against certain social evils, and they forget that the ranks are ever recruited from among the daughters of Vanity, Uncontrol and Idleness.

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There are signs that the government of our public libraries is largely left in the hands of a rather anaemic type of men and women, obsessed by a sleepless desire to find the worm of evil (of one particular species) i' the bud of literature; bent seemingly upon withholding a healthy all-round knowledge of life, that might better instead be looked upon as the surer safeguard of youth.

This passion for nothing less than the elimination of "sex" from literature has at last reached the point of fanaticism, which, in face of the daily countermining of our yellow press, is fit food for laughter on Olympus.

Within a year, a conversation with one of the assistant librarians in a branch of the largest public library in the United States developed several startling facts. During a recent administration of affairs in the "mother" library of more than average fanaticism [illegible] "non-replacement" law included "Little Women" [illegible]. That is, when worn out, the copies were not to be replaced. "David Harum" and those of Dumas that are the most worth reading were also blacklisted.

The gradual obscuration of "The Three Musketeers" was bad enough, but [illegible] taste and sound judgment [illegible]. The reason given for this [illegible] was that there was too much love-making in it [illegible] being allowed no voice!

Boys and girls alike [illegible] that [illegible] education [illegible] of [illegible] knowledge is [illegible] end in itself instead of being but [illegible] of several [illegible] toward the development of useful living and [illegible] and the [illegible] spells what all the world most [longs] for—happiness.

Take, as we [illegible] this country [illegible] daughter of a washwoman, used to [illegible] moral and physical chaos of five in two rooms [illegible] with all the [illegible] cation [illegible] mos, and it is safe to say that next to nothing of it all will bring any order of that home chaos.

At the same time it develops and indorses selfishness in her, and a snobbishness as to her forebears, affectation as to her [illegible] learning. It helps neither her family nor the commonwealth as it might. Because, first, her character remains largely untouched, and even the impulse to work and help them is not developed in her, which is the greatest error of all in the system, and second, because what she has been taught is unrelated to the exigencies of her daily life, and of little use to any one connected with it.

"Snobbishness as to her forebears."

Is there nothing wrong with the system when this college graduate returns to her home and finds her father white, silent and grim with overwork, and nothing of all her mathematical studies, her logic, her fund of "higher education, can lift one pennyweight of work from his drooping shoulders? She finds her mother overburdened with household or social cares, and aging before her time, and nothing in that utterly false college atmosphere has equipped the daughter in any one particular (save that of hasty bed-making) to turn to and help and so bring back the smile to the dear worn face. Her sister is ill; has any of her expensive training fitted that graduate to save the heavy expense of a trained nurse?

And this we call "higher" education!

Give free only the educational fundamentals, and exactly the same to all boys and girls throughout the land. Selective work should be left to the manual school (or the professional and scientific schools if there be enough force in the pupil to carry him thus far), for a child's judgment as to selective educational work is worth no more than his parents—both are equally fallacious.

"Marriage is not a man's work, but one of his dearest illusions, from which he parts grudgingly."

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The Upturned Profile of Miss Lyon.

The Perfect American Type — in Chicago.

The Well-Balanced Profile of Miss Genevieve Lyon—Straight Forehead, Perfect Nose, Firm Yet Gentle Lips, True "American Chin" and Beautifully Drawn Eyes—That Make Her the Ideal Model for the Distinct Type Which Prof. Franz Boas Declares This Country Produces in its "Melting Pot."

Miss Lyon as a Simple and Unaffected American School Girl

The Ideal American Face—Miss Lyon's.

By JOSEF KORBEL, Sculptor

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A Sudden Transformation

Of Dutch-French Ancestry

Front View Animated with a Smile

Photo by W. B. Mathews

Miss Genevieve Lyon Posing While Sculptor Korbel Models Her Head and Bust for the Keystone of the Entrance to the New Sherman Hotel in Chicago

Proves Prof. Boas's Claim

Photo by W. B. Mathews

Showing Miss Lyon's Exquisite Girlish Profile.

How I MADE My Boy a GENIUS.

By PROF. BORIS SIDIS, of Harvard.

Before Willie Sidis was two years old he had learned to spell and read correctly by playing with lettered blocks.

I DO not believe in the prevailing system of education for children. I have educated my boy upon a system of my own, based to some extent on principles laid down by Professor William James.

This system justifies itself by its results. My son at eleven knows as much as a gifted professor of mature years, and when he grows up I believe he will amaze the world.

It is not due to heredity or to abnormal qualities of my boy's brain that he has been able to learn so much, but to the plan of education we have followed. He is not a freak who can perform vast sums in arithmetic, as some children have done, but he understands the underlying principles of mathematics and whatever he learns.

You must begin a child's education as soon as he displays any power to think. Everybody knows how hard it is to learn a new language late in life. The same holds good of all our acquisitions. The earlier they are acquired the more truly they become part of us.

At the same time keep alive within the child the quickening power of curiosity. Do not repress him. Answer his questions; give him the information he craves, [illegible] that he understands your explanations.

You need not be afraid of overstraining his mind. On the contrary, you will be developing it at [illegible]—will be habituating the child to avail himself of the great fund of latent energy which most of us, to our detriment, so seldom use.

The law of "reserve mental energy," as set forth by Professor William James, has much to do with the progress of my son. Professor James explained that the power of getting what is popularly known as "second wind" might be controlled at will and enable us to accomplish daily and regularly what we can all do under stress of circumstances. If you do prolonged mental work you will find yourself grow tired, but if you keep on working the feeling of fatigue will pass away. You are drawing on your reserve mental energy.

At three years of age he could write on the typewriter and composed essays.

As a baby grows more rapidly after birth than at any other time, so his brain develops most rapidly then and becomes less sensitive to impressions as he grows older. The process of education cannot begin too soon.

I began to train my boy in the use of his faculties immediately after his birth. He was bound to use them in any way, and therefore I took care that he used them properly. I taught the child to observe accurately, to analyze and synthetize and make sound deductions. Neither his mother nor myself confused him with baby talk, meaningless sounds or foolish gestures, and thus, although he learned to reason so early, his mind was no more burdened than that of the ordinary child.

I knew that as soon as he began to speak his first interest would be in the sounds he was uttering, and so I trained him to identify the elements of sound. Taking a box of large alphabet blocks I named each to him day after day.

In this way he learned to read and spell correctly before he was two years old. What was still more important he learned to reason correctly.

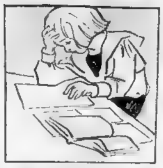
When he learned that he could express himself more quickly and clearly on the typewriter than in handwriting, his natural eagerness led him to master the typewriter.

At four he knew "Alice in Wonderland" and "Mother Goose" by heart.

I taught him to count with similar blocks, and then, wishing to familiarize him with ideas of time, as well as the meaning and use of numbers, I placed in his hands several calendars and taught him their use. At five from his own study of these he had devised a method of telling on what day of the week any given date would fall.

His interest in anatomy was suddenly aroused by his discovering a skeleton in our house, a relic of my student days. It was almost gruesome to see the enthusiasm with which he studied the bones, identifying each by close comparison with the plates in a text book on anatomy. Within a very short time he knew so much about the structure of the body that he could pass a medical student's examination creditably at six years of age.

His great interest in words gave me an opportunity to start him in the study of foreign languages. As I am a polyglot myself, I was usually able to answer his questions about the meaning of words in foreign languages, and to put him in the way of learning more. Thus after English he learned Russian, French, German, Latin and Greek.

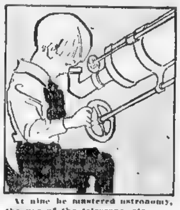


At five, from his own study of the calendar, he worked out a system by which he could tell on what day of the week any date would fall.

At six he knew every bone in the human body, and passed the Harvard Medical School examination.

At seven he was an expert accountant and understood bookkeeping.

At eight he could speak six languages—French, Russian, German, Greek, Latin and English.



At nine he mastered astronomy, the use of the telescope, etc.

At ten he was a student in a class of young men at Tufts College.

At eleven he addressed the professors of Harvard College on the fourth dimension.

Can Great Genius ... Ed

Have Prof. Sidis of Harvard, and His Extraordinary 11-Year Old Boy Prodigy

THE students of psychology claim, and nearly all historic examples indicate, that youthful prodigies of exceptional genius in music, mathematics, science, etc., are born with special and peculiar minds and that genius cannot be made by special training and education.

The most extraordinary living example of a precocious child is eleven-year-old William James Sidis, a student at Harvard University. He could read and spell before he was two years old, wrote on the typewriter at 3, could repeat entire books at 4, invented a new calendar at the age of 5, passed the Harvard College Medical School examination at 6, could speak six languages at 8, was an expert astronomer at 9 and, only the other day, at the age of eleven years, Willie Sidis lectured before the Harvard professors on the "Fourth Dimension"—an abstruse mathematical proposition entirely beyond the grasp of the average intelligent mind.

This remarkable child's father is Prof. Boris Sidis, of Harvard. Prof. Sidis declares that the child's astonishing mental development is entirely due to his father's special method of training—and these methods are explained elsewhere on this page by Prof. Sidis.

Either young Willie Sidis is an infant prodigy and his talents were born in him entirely independent of any educational efforts of his father, or Willie Sidis was not a natural born prodigy and Prof. Sidis stands forth as the teacher of an entirely new method of education which will attract the attention of the entire civilized world.

Young Sidis and Other Historica[l]

WILLIAM JAMES SIDIS, the eleven-year-old boy who addressed the learned professors of Harvard University on the hypothetical fourth dimension, is apparently the most puzzling problem in the world's list of infant prodigies.

No other infant prodigy ever possessed such a wide range of knowledge as Willie Sidis. Again, he is different in that all the other prodigies have shown their aptitude spontaneously without assistance or in spite of strong discouragement from their parents. The father of Willie, Dr. Boris Sidis, a professor in the Harvard Medical School and a psychologist and scientist of high reputation, makes the extraordinary claim that his boy's prodigious ability is the direct result of his plan of education.

The boy's parents are Russian Hebrews and his father came as an immigrant to New York, where the child was born. His mother is an M. D. of Boston University Medical School, and both parents are of unusual mental powers.

Willie's education started at that point when a baby is commonly described as "beginning to take notice." Between his first and second year he was furnished with lettered blocks of different colors, and immediately after nothing [illegible] family eat he learned to spell her name. He next learned figures, and this process of education was kept up till at the age of eleven he was able to speak six languages, to lecture on higher mathematics and to enter Harvard University, where he is now apparently far superior mentally to the young men around him.

At the age of seven, before he had even heard of Esperanto, he invented a universal language which he called "Vendergood." He has compiled a triple track grammar for the simultaneous study of German, Latin and English. His interests [illegible] he has devised an amusement [illegible] the World in an Hour and a Half," suitable for use at Coney Island.

For the past few months he has been much interested in the study of American history and has made a summary of our history which would do credit to a university professor. He reads the political news in his newspaper with great care every morning.

He entered the first grade at school in Brookline, Mass., at 9 o'clock one morning and by 12 o'clock he had reached the third grade. Within six months he had passed through seven grades.

One day soon after he was seven he came upon a text book on logic and within a week had mastered it.

"Do you know," he said to a friend at the time, "I'm sorry I put off logic so long. If I had studied it sooner it would have helped me a great deal."

He learned to make thermometers and to take meteorological observations when he was seven. He has a wide knowledge of the physical sciences and has a laboratory of his own.

Physically he is a normal, healthy boy, although somewhat below the average size. He read fairy tales while studying Greek. He has a profound knowledge of Shakespeare and the best English literature. He will go from a lecture on higher mathematics to play tag. In spite of his vast learning, he shows mental and physical characteristics [of an ordi]nary small boy. He will become [absorbed] and playful when studying philo[sophy, as]tronomy or some other difficult su[bject].

He is not a mere calculating or [memori]zing automaton. He has imaginat[ion. One] day he remarked:

"I wonder whether school childr[en of future] generations will celebrate this as a [holiday, be]cause it was the day on which [I began the] study of the physical sciences."

The majority of noted infant pr[odigies have] been mathematicians or musicians.

Miss Aline van Barentzan, of [...] Mass., an eleven year old girl h[as] carried off the chief prizes at the [Con]servatoire of Music. Massenet, the composer, says that her composi[tions for] piano are finished works of art.

Handel, the great musician, wa[s a] prodigy. His father intended to [make him a] lawyer or doctor, and was disg[usted at the] boy's inclination to music. He delib[erately kept] the boy away from musical [instruments], but, unknown to him, little Handel [crept] into the attic and composed mel[odies of his] own on an old harpsichord.

That other great musician, Moza[rt, showed] musical ability at three. At [...] posed and wrote part of a concert[o so difficult] that his father, a musician, said [no one] could play it. At five he played [...] at seven he had published two set[s of sonatas]. No special education was given him.

What Psychologists Say About Prodigi[es]

By DAVID EDGAR RICE,
Assistant Professor of Psychology in Columbia University.

THE theory of Professor Sidis concerning the [...] has [...] of [...] opposed to the theories of [...] and educators.

From what I have read of this case I am strongly inclined to believe that this young [...] is a freak, and that his unusual development is due to abnormal natural ability rather than to the methods employed by his father in his education.

Infantile precocity is considered an abnormality and, as such, to be discouraged.

Lombroso, perhaps the most original psychologist of our time, has argued that the characteristics of genius are closely allied to insanity, and those who accept his ideas will also see in abnormal infantile precocity a form of at least partial insanity.

Precocity in most instances has not been the result of education, but, on the contrary, has often been strenuously discouraged by parents and guardians, who have taken books and implements of study away from their precocious children.

Infantile prodigies have never continued to develop in proportion to the promise of their youth. If that had happened, they would have overshadowed the world with their genius.

Nevertheless some infant prodigies have developed into very [...] men. [...] Psychologists would regard them as having possessed sufficient [...] and physical health to overcome the abnormality of their youth. As a rule, it appears that infant prodigies either die early or become insane, or their minds recover their balance, so that they become normal men.

Intelligence is normally a gradual growth, and therefore exceedingly rapid development is unnatural. We must believe that in these prodigies there exists a physiological abnormality of the nerve cells. Their activity is excessive. In many cases of insanity there is an abnormal activity of the brain, and the subject may even display great brilliancy in certain directions. In such cases sedatives are given to diminish the activity of the brain.

It must not be understood that genius does not show itself in youth, for the bulk of evidence tends to show that it does. James Sully, a noted psychologist, observes: "A truly great man is born such, created with a strong and overpowering impulse to a definite form of organization, and hence he commonly gives a clear indication of his bent in the first years of his life."

Professor Francis Galton also s[ays that] manifestations of genius are not [incompatible] with prolonged and even late [development]. Haydn, Beethoven, Michael An[gelo], Goethe, Voltaire, Newton and oth[ers are exam]ples of lengthy process of deve[lopment, and] of great original power may be e[xpected to illus]trate the most prolonged move[ment of] growth."

What we do learn from the ca[se, how]ever, is that, contrary to the view [of Professor] Sidis, precocious learning is not [the re]sult of education, but of a cong[enital condition of] the child's brain; that in many c[ases it] is abnormal and unwholesome and [should be] discouraged.

I do not wish to express any final [opinion on] Professor Sidis's views. He is a [scientific] man, and psychologists will look w[ith in]terest to his future explanations c[oncerning his] son's intelligence and education.

It may be argued that the child's [powers] are due to suggestion. There [is] scarcely any limit to the power o[f suggestion], and it is conceivable that by some [such means the] father has been able to stimulate [the] powers of the child's mind to an [unusual] degree.

Miss Aline van Barentzan, the Musical Prodigy, Now Attracting Great Attention in Europe.

Dr. Groszman Teaching a Seven-Year-[Old ...] How to Walk. Eighteen Months Ag[o ...] Could Neither Walk Nor Talk; [Now ...] Does Both.

A School to Develop "Exceptional Children"

WHILE Professor Sidis, of Harvard, has been developing his son along the lines of his theories of education, another expert of special educational methods has opened a school for the study and development of the "exceptional child."

Dr. Maximilian P. E. Groszman, in applying his studies to the "exceptional child," does not especially seek the youthful prodigy of advanced and unusual mental powers. Dr. Groszman's clinic at Watchung Crest, on a spur of the Blue Ridge Mountains of New Jersey, deals more particularly with the child which is neither feeble minded nor extraordinarily developed mentally.

The "exceptional child" is one that deviates from the average type. He is, Dr. Groszman asserts, an irregular type, deviating from the original model, a variant of the original model of childhood. His characteristics are more pronounced than those of the wholly normal child. The manifestations of these differences between the ordinary and the extraordinary child are intense. The exceptional type [is] an extremist. Controlled, he may become a great force for good. Uncontrolled, he will certainly become a power for bad. A natural leader, he will become a leader in bad, unless his energies are diverted and he becomes a leader in good.

Recently Dr. Groszman, who is a close friend of Dr. Felix Adler, and who was for many years head of the Ethical Culture School of New York, addressed the Mother's Congress about his discovery of the exceptional child, and at that time he adapted a term to describe such a child. That name has since passed into common scientific use.

How Harry Thaws Are Bred.

"Such a child is away from the average child," said Dr. Groszman. "He is an atypical, that is, an irregular child."

It is from this class of children that, if uncontrolled, the Harry Thaws come, also the John Davidsons and the Czolgoszs. They are erratic [...] powerful for mischief, but powerless to make their own way, unable to so adjust themselves as to earn their own living. Harry Thaw [...] John Davidson, the English poet, k[illed himself be]cause he could not earn a living.

I believe all of these tragedies could have been prevented. Preventional education is the means of saving this great human waste. It will save and make good citizens of one-tenth of our population, the [...] tenth, that will otherwise fill our jails and asylums."

Dr. Groszman has organized the National Association for the Study and Education of Exceptional Children. He hopes the association will establish clinics for the study of one-tenth of the children of this land in every State in the Union. The clinics will be in the form of schools, where the education of the children will progress—the life saving process will continue—whiles the study of further method for their improvement goes on.

The first of the chain of school-clinics has been built atop Watchung Crest, which overlooks Plainfield, N. J. Five hundred feet above the level of the sea and two miles from Plainfield, it is as isolated and as healthful as the forest schools in Germany, which it resembles, where children are trained to be sturdy of body and of spirit.

Here Dr. Groszman, out of doors as much as possible, trains straight again the twig that has been bent awry. He makes no attempt to put the [...] through the same [...] for the average child in the public schools. These children, being atypical, can not conform to the standard which eighty-eight per cent of the children of the country adopt without friction. In this school a special course of treatment and education is prescribed for every child. As a patient with a special disease receives a prescription for a special course of treatment, so this child, who climbs the mountain to the Groszman School for Nervous Children, receives his special prescription, so it happens that in the Groszman School there are almost as many teachers as pupils. There are visiting physicians, great specialists, who come hither to treat little ones who are within the zone of their specialty. Dr. Dana visited the school last week and focussed his experience and skill upon the puzzling case of one of the atypical children, whose photograph is shown on this page.

Interesting Methods of Treatment.

There is massage for certain cases, and hydropathic treatment for others, and special diet for those who require it. A trained nurse is always on duty. An instructor in manual arts is of the faculty. There is music for those whose cases demand musical therapeutics, and Dr. Groszman gives mental therapeutics also a place in the composites of the school clinic.

"Everything that is needed for those who need it," is the motto of a school that is as distinctive as the school colors, maroon and white. These individualized courses are, of course, expensive. It costs $1,200 a year for each child at the school, yet half of the little ones pay nothing, because their parents are not able, and none of them pay nearly that amount. The school is a philanthropy. Dr. Groszman spent his fortune in it. His son, Waldemar Groszman, has expended his fortune in it. To further extend its work, the plan of issuing stamps for supplementary postage on letters has been conceived and is being carried out. Whenever a maroon and white stamp bearing the lines "National Association for the Study and Education of Exceptional Children" appears as a seal or as extra postage on letter or package, the propaganda of the school clinics is spreading.

The Poor Taught Free.

"We try to develop children along the lines in which they have the greatest aptitude," Dr. Groszman says, by way of explanation of his unusual work. "But we avoid making them one-sided. We aim to make them wholesome children. If they have a talent, we let that talent be the window through which they look at the world. Shall we say that a child loves his violin, and nothing else in the world? We let him love that violin, but, making the violin the beginning point, we try to make his world widen from it. We teach him the biography of great violin virtuosi. We show him how music is allied to and dependent upon the other arts. And through music he becomes well educated.

"One of our cases was a girl who was placed under the association's care in this school when she was about twelve years old. At that time she was considered by her relatives to be mentally deficient and in danger of becoming mentally and morally deranged. She could not attend an ordinary school because of her extreme nervousness, her destructiveness and general backwardness. She remained in the school about twenty months. Her change for the better by that time [...] remarked that she was [...] where she made steady progress. She graduated from the school, having acquired such proficiency that she received the second prize in French, and has now entered upon a course of music in a conservatory, where she is considered capable of the highest development in her art."

The case of a New York boy extremely neurasthenic and with a perverse bent was diagnosed as making swift return to primitive type. That boy was brought to the school and asked to help the teachers to discipline some group of smaller boys. Being made monitor the day he entered the school, there was awakened in him at once a novel sense of responsibility. Whereas he had formerly been morose and a recluse, he began to love the out of doors, and was soon the leader of the boys in all their outdoor sports.

One boy of sixteen, having been backward at school in all save mischief, who had an ungovernable temper and was spoken of by the neighbors as a future inmate of the penitentiary, entered the school hurling abusive epithets at the principal. Once in danger of "reversion to the primitive type," he is now climbing toward the highest. He was encouraged to do his work, and it was impressed upon him that he could do it well. He learned concentration through manual labor. Today he may be seen digging out the root of a tree. Another boy of his age and [...] and apparent destiny is becoming an expert gardener and carpenter. He, too, has learned to study books by learning to focus his faculties in the manual workroom.

Awakening the Moral Sense.

One child's troubles began in a physical channel. He suffered from adenoids. The adenoids, caused by malnutrition in infancy, were removed, and the child suffered shock from the operation. The poorly nourished nervous system revolted, and the child lost all power of concentration. When he came to the school he was morbidly afraid of every person and everything. He was taught the art of balancing in a swing. At first he was afraid even to sit in the swing, and screamed to be taken out. His mother found him standing in the swing and the doctor soothing his fears by saying, "Look at me." The child who is shown on the steps with Dr. Groszman is a paralytic just learning to talk and walk. This little one was always morbidly timid. He is learning to like [...] companions. The same child has received special gymnastics every day and is learning what it was feared he would never do—to walk upright. Formerly he walked apelike, on feet and hands.

Resistance exercises are taught to encourage self-reliance. The urchin who is matching his strength against Dr. Groszman's thinks he is playing, while he is learning one of the greatest of human lessons, the lesson of self-reliance.

By the wand exercises used by him, children in whose muscles there was little co-ordination are gaining control of their muscular activities while they think they are having great fun "playing broomsticks." They are hastening the reaction time, that is, the time that elapses between the time when a message is sent to the brain and the muscles make response, which is one of the chief tests of a normal body controlled by a normally operating mind.

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Zerah Colburn, the Vermont farmer boy, was one of the numerous infant prodigies who showed an amazing capacity for calculating in childhood, but showed no ability of any kind in later years. He made extraordinary calculations at six, and at seven he raised the number eight to the 16th power in his head. The answer to this sum is 281,474,976,710,656. He had devoted himself in secret to reasoning out mathematical problems.

Jedediah Baxton was an Englishman who exhibited similar mathematical powers, but at the age of twelve he devoted himself to keeping an itemized account of all the free beer ever given him, and in this occupation he forgot all other studies.

Thomas Babington Macaulay, the great historian, read English well at three and had a considerable knowledge of Latin. At seven he composed a compendium of universal history from the creation to the year 1800. At eight he wrote a treatise designed to convert the natives of Malabar to Christianity. At about the same time he composed a work entitled "Fingal: a poem in twelve books."

Blaise Pascal, the seventeenth century French philosopher, was, like young Sidis, a mathematical wonder. He was purposely kept by his father from developing the evident bent of his mind toward mathematics, and turned as far as possible to literature and languages. He even had to go into the cellar and work out the mathematical problems which came to his mind with a piece of chalk. He showed, when questioned, that he had worked out for himself the whole theory of geometry, and his fundamental knowledge of the science was so limited that he called circles "rounds" and lines "bars." All this he had done not only without any encouraging education, but in spite of influences contrary to his natural bent.

Ampere, whose name stands high on the pages of the history of electricity, taught himself to count with pebbles at the age of three, and even at that early day found out for himself many of the arithmetical theories. The persistency with which this child pursued his studies without parental encouragement conclusively shows inborn ability. Not only in figures was he proficient, for it is recorded that he mastered Latin sufficiently in six weeks to translate books in that language on mathematics.

Carl Friedrich Gauss, the famous German mathematician, when but three years old, happened to hear his father making a calculation in regard to the wages of some workmen and corrected a mistake his father had made in his computations. While he doubtless received subsequent encouragement from his father along mathematical lines, there is nothing to show that any effort had been made to develop his ... up to that time. It had been ... showed itself almost as soon as he was ... to talk.

The only instruction in figures that George Bidder Parker ever received was to count up to one hundred when he was six years old, and ... he evolved a ... to take the place of logarithms.

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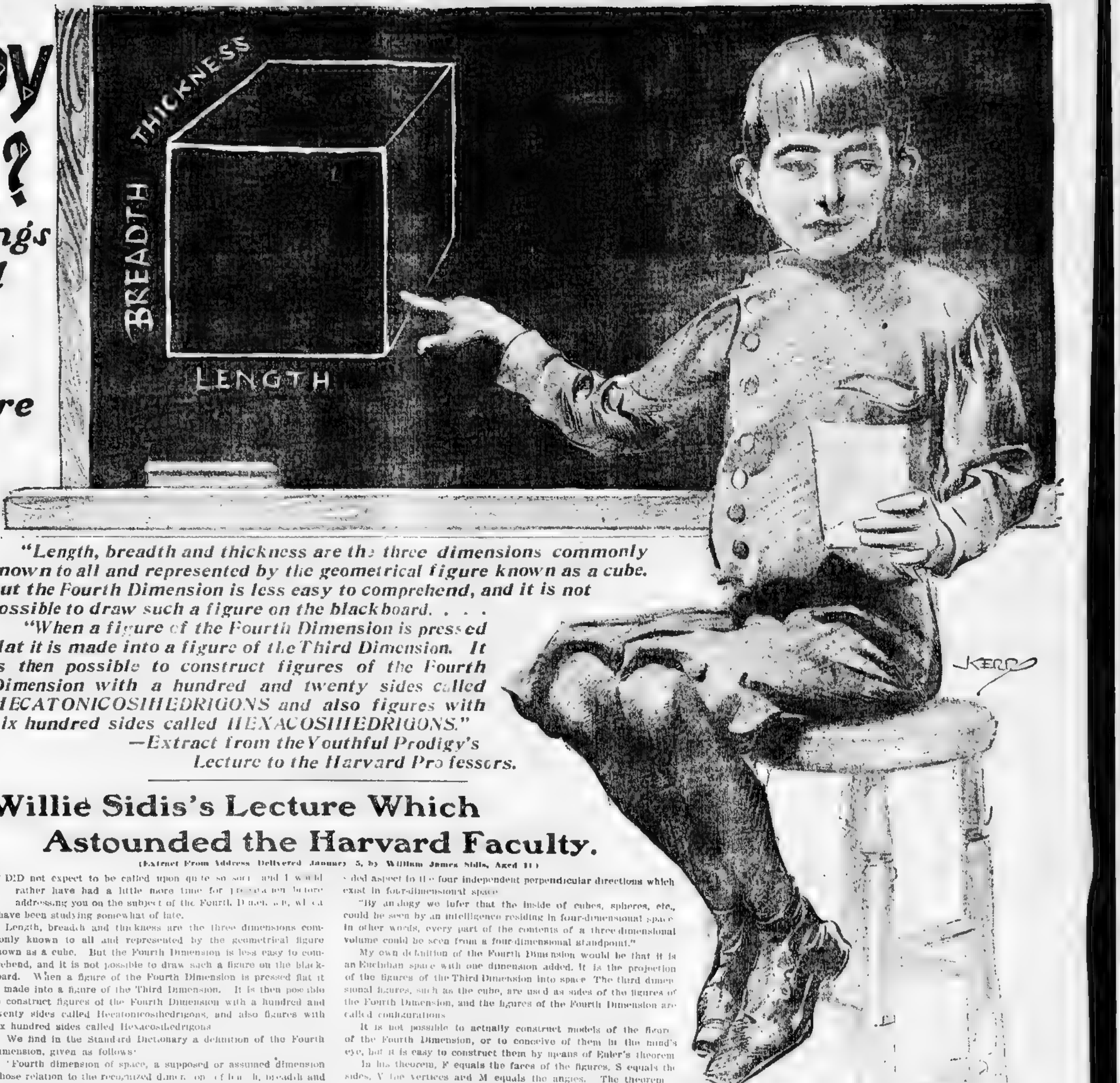

"Length, breadth and thickness are the three dimensions commonly known to all and represented by the geometrical figure known as a cube. But the Fourth Dimension is less easy to comprehend, and it is not possible to draw such a figure on the blackboard. . . .

"When a figure of the Fourth Dimension is pressed flat it is made into a figure of the Third Dimension. It is then possible to construct figures of the Fourth Dimension with a hundred and twenty sides called HECATONICOSIHEDRIGONS and also figures with six hundred sides called HEXACOSIHEDRIGONS."

—Extract from the Youthful Prodigy's Lecture to the Harvard Professors.

Willie Sidis's Lecture Which Astounded the Harvard Faculty.

(Extract From Address Delivered January 5, by William James Sidis, Aged 11.)

I DID not expect to be called upon quite so soon and I would rather have had a little more time for preparation before addressing you on the subject of the Fourth Dimension, which I have been studying somewhat of late.

Length, breadth and thickness are the three dimensions commonly known to all and represented by the geometrical figure known as a cube. But the Fourth Dimension is less easy to comprehend, and it is not possible to draw such a figure on the blackboard. When a figure of the Fourth Dimension is pressed flat it is made into a figure of the Third Dimension. It is then possible to construct figures of the Fourth Dimension with a hundred and twenty sides called Hecatonicosihedrigons, and also figures with six hundred sides called Hexacosihedrigons.

We find in the Standard Dictionary a definition of the Fourth Dimension, given as follows:

"Fourth dimension of space, a supposed or assumed dimension whose relation to the recognized dimensions of length, breadth and thickness is analogous to that borne by any one of these to the other two. Four-dimensional space is ... regarded as a fictitious conception to explain equations of the fourth degree in analytical geometry, or as an entity beyond the limitations of ordinary existence. The treatment of the fourth and higher dimensions belongs to the geometry of hyperspace, or N-dimensional geometry. The conception has been used by investigators of psychic phenomena to explain certain mysterious physical phenomena."

It seems to me that perhaps a more comprehensive grasp of the Fourth Dimension is shown by Nelson's Encyclopaedia, in which he defines the Fourth Dimension in this way:

"When we deal with a function of more than three variables we cannot represent it by means of a surface in one space of three dimensions. But we may imagine the existence of a space of higher dimensions, in which the function could be represented by a geometrical reality.

"Some of the properties of space of four dimensions may be imagined, or at least described, by a process of analogy. The point, the line, the surface and the volume are respectively spaces of no dimensions, one, two and three dimensions. We see at once that two points bound one finite straight line, four lines bound one square, six squares bound one cube, hence eight cubes will bound a four-dimensional figure, which will have a symmetrical eight-sided aspect to the four independent perpendicular directions which exist in four-dimensional space.

"By analogy we infer that the inside of cubes, spheres, etc., could be seen by an intelligence residing in four-dimensional space; in other words, every part of the contents of a three-dimensional volume could be seen from a four-dimensional standpoint."

My own definition of the Fourth Dimension would be that it is an Euclidian space with one dimension added. It is the projection of the figures of the Third Dimension into space. The third dimensional figures, such as the cube, are used as sides of the figures of the Fourth Dimension, and the figures of the Fourth Dimension are called configurations.

It is not possible to actually construct models of the figures of the Fourth Dimension, or to conceive of them in the mind's eye, but it is easy to construct them by means of Euler's theorem.

In his theorem, F equals the faces of the figures, S equals the sides, V the vertices and M equals the angles. The theorem is that F plus S equals V plus M.

It is possible to take any figure of the Third Dimension and with it construct figures of the Fourth Dimension. These figures of the Fourth Dimension are called Polyhedrigons. It is possible to tell how many faces any given figures of the Fourth Dimension will have by applying Euler's theorem. Some figures of the Fourth Dimension, however, cannot be worked out by this theorem, but must all be tried by using logarithms.

When a figure of the Fourth Dimension is pressed flat, as I have already said, it is made into a figure of the Third Dimension. It is possible to construct figures of the Fourth Dimension with a hundred and twenty sides called Hecatonicosihedrigons, and also figures with six hundred sides called Hexacosihedrigons. I attach great value in the working out of my theories to the help given by the polyhedral angles of the dodecahedron which enter into many of the problems. Some of the things that I have found out about the Fourth Dimension will aid in the solution of many of the problems of elliptical geometry.

NOTE—The words "Hecatonicosihedrigons" and "Hexacosihedrigons" are not found in any dictionary, or in any work on mathematics. Willie Sidis himself invented these words to fit his necessity—and he very correctly formulated the proper Greek compound word in each instance.

MASTER WILLIAM JAMES SIDIS.

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Paralytic Boy Being Cured by Orthopedic Gymnastics. Nurse is Twisting the Turned-in Foot Outward.

Boy Now Enjoys What Frightened Him.

Child Who Was Backward Because of Chain of Troubles Caused by Adenoids, Practising "Resistance Exercises" With Dr. Groszman. This Exercise Develops Alertness and Judgment.

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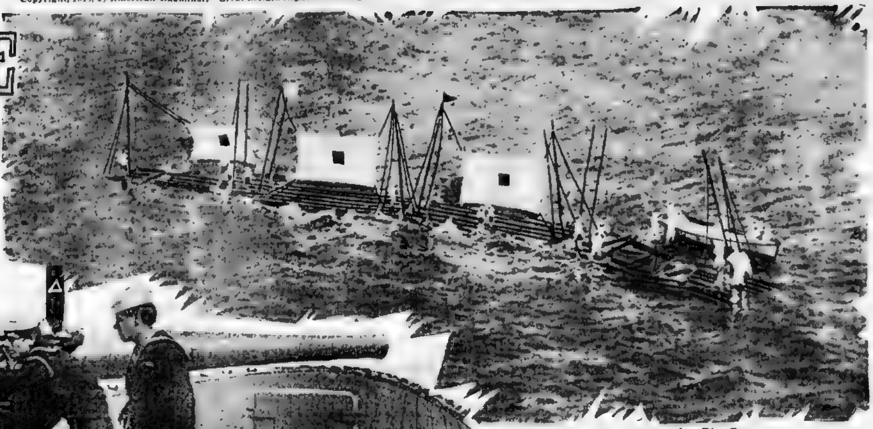

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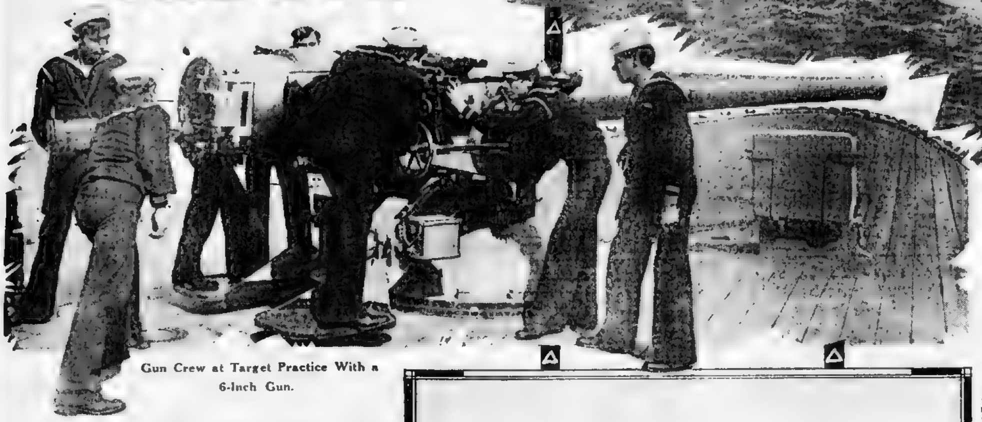

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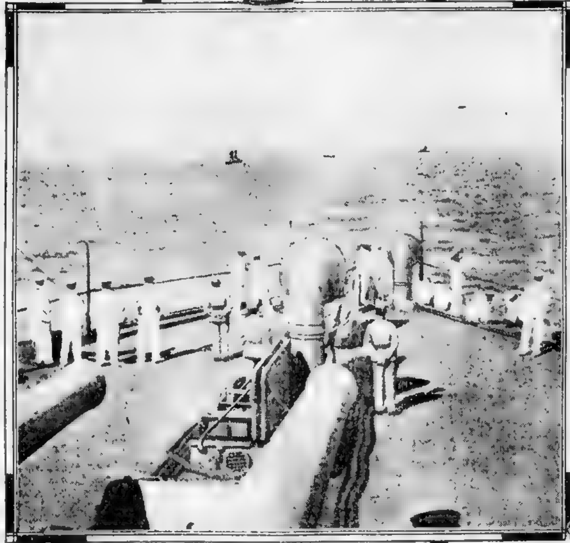

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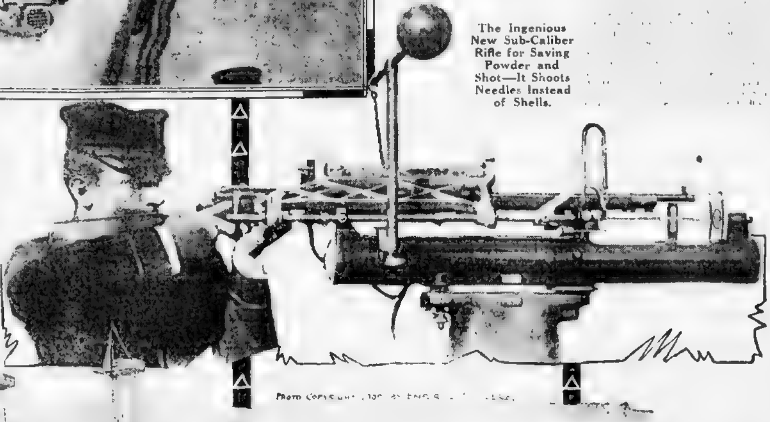

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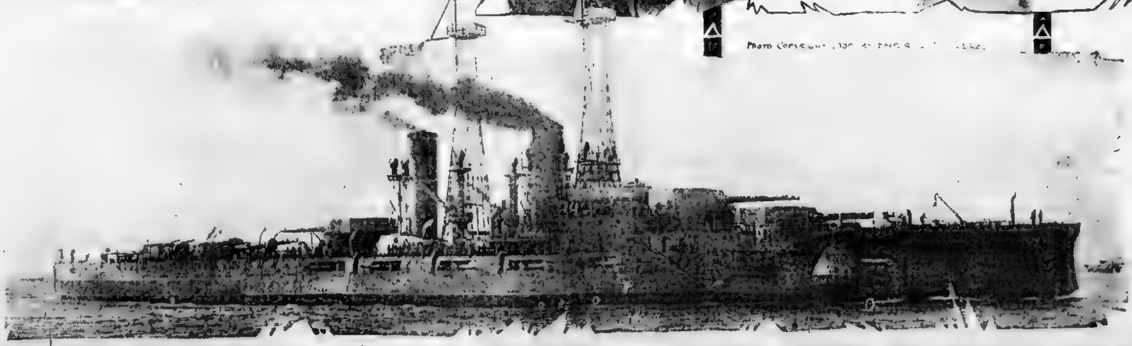

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My Secrets of Beauty.

No. 57—The Toilet Table

By Mme. Lina Cavalieri, the Most Famous Living Beauty.

THE articles necessary for the well equipped toilet table, and the fashion as well as the furnishing of the table, are discussed to-day by this newspaper's expert on the care of beauty. Mme. Lina Cavalieri, one of the prima donne of the Manhattan Opera House in New York, and of the Grand Opera House in Paris and the Royal Opera House in St. Petersburg, is the distinguished writer of these articles. Mme. Cavalieri besides being a famous prima donna is one of the most beautiful women in the world.

Living at different times of the year in New York, in Paris, in London and in St. Petersburg, she knows the methods of the cultivation of beauty in the chief capitals of the world. She is, then, in more than one sense, an expert on beauty. While acquainted with the radical methods she advises only the safe, conservative ones. Her theme for next week will be: "The Nervous Woman."

By Mme. Lina Cavalieri.

THE dressing table should be low, so that you can sit before it with comfort. It should be wide, and long, and flat, so that it may hold all of those accessories of the toilet which a woman wants within reach as she sits before her mirror.

It should have a large mirror, and a good one, a just mirror, but not a merciful one, that will reveal every blemish, but will not exaggerate it. The faults of our faces trouble us enough without being exaggerated by our mirrors. There must be no illusions, either favorable or unfavorable. We should face ourselves frankly in our mirrors. Do not be misled by the handsome frame of your mirror into believing its reflecting qualities to be the best. Be sure that it is an honest mirror, playing none of the tricks to which inferior mirrors are addicted. Money spent for a good mirror is money well invested. It will yield you a good return in honestly showing you how you look. If you know exactly how you look, you can build upon that foundation of knowledge a new and better appearance.

Being sure that your mirror is reliable place it where it will have the best light in the room. This should be opposite, if possible, but certainly near to the window. The best light for writing is the best light for dressing. The light should fall over the left shoulder. Arrange your electric lights, or candles, or lamps, or gas jets, whatever are your lighting facilities, so that the light will fall in that direction. Don't dress by a poor light any more than you would read or write by a poor light.

The mirror should be as large as possible and should be adjustable. Attached to supports on the table it should be easily swung back and forth, according to the angle of view you wish to get upon yourself.

Even if the table be of the plainest sort, of home manufacture, the table and mirror frame should be white. The effect of daintiness and cleanliness is given by a white table and mirror frame. Spots and stains can be more easily removed from it. Some young women have a fancy for draping their dressing tables in muslin or silk tied back with ribbons, or in silk finished by tassels of the same shade, each to match the curtains at the windows and the draperies of the bed. Personally I prefer the white painted or enamelled dressing table to any other. Draperies are elegant, but besides their elegance I always see their other significance—that of dusttraps. In furnishing rooms I try to put the money into rich woods and rugs, and shun draperies.

If the owner's means permit it a duplex or triple mirror is better than a single one. It would allow the young woman at her toilet literally to see herself as others see her. She would study her profile and note whether her cheeks were growing too plump or too thin. She could see whether the line of her coiffure is as becoming to the sides as to front. She could study her shoulders and learn whether they are too lean and need fattening, or too fat and require thinning. Having once dressed before a duplex or triple mirror you will set about getting one.

But if yours is a good single mirror you can still make your toilet very satisfactorily with the aid of a hand mirror. This will in a little longer time enable you to scrutinize your profile and back successively, instead of seeing all three views of your head at once.

On most dressing tables we see a brush and comb. This is the worst possible place for them. Perhaps they are there merely for ornament to complete a handsome livery, or silver, or gold set to give the spectator a sense of the completeness of the table furnishings. But the comb and brush that are in use should be carefully kept in a drawer of the dressing table or in a toilet closet, or in one of the medicine cases with which bathrooms are now supplied. After using them, and before putting them away, be sure to cleanse them. If you neglect this your combing and brushing might almost as well not have been done, for the dust in your hair has merely been shifted to your comb and brush, and unless removed by cleansing, will be merely transferred again to the hair.

A brush can be cleaned by rubbing it briskly upon a towel. A comb can be wiped thus or with a piece of tissue paper. But they should be dipped every fortnight at least in soapy water, into which a teaspoonful of ammonia has been sprinkled.

The toilet table should be furnished also with a tray or box containing the manicure utensils. The orange wood stick should be ready for cleansing the nails and pushing back the skin that is anxious to encroach upon the nails. In a drawer there should be a package of medicated cotton. In a flask on the toilet table there should be a little peroxide of hydrogen. This not to "touch up the hair," but to serve two worthier purposes. The orange wood stick wrapped round with a bit of the cotton and dipped into the peroxide—or better, the peroxide poured upon it—will quickly cleanse the end of the nail that has been darkened by dust. The peroxide is also valuable for a gargle, or to give the mouth one of the frequently necessary baths. There is but one objection to the diluted peroxide of hydrogen mouth bath. That is, that if the teeth be already eroded by acid conditions the peroxide will aggravate this tendency. Do not use the peroxide thus or as a dentifrice unless your dentist consents. In one of the little silver or ivory or enamelled boxes, of which a toilet table cannot have too many, there should be a little powdered pumice stone. When the daily scrutiny reveals dark stains upon or between the teeth, apply this pumice stone by dipping an orange wood stick or a hard round toothpick into it and gently rubbing with them the stained surface. Never use a toothbrush for this purpose, for this would scratch the tooth and erode the enamel.

One of the toilet bottles on my dressing table I always keep filled with rosewater. This is soothing when the face is fevered, and is always grateful and healing to the skin.

In another bottle I keep a strong toilet vinegar to inhale or to sprinkle about my neck to revive me when I am fatigued.

This vinegar beauties of the time of Louis XV used to brighten their complexions by sprinkling it upon their faces when they were fatigued or indisposed. It is composed of:

Honey	6 ozs.
Vinegar made of white wine	1 qt.
Isinglass	3 ozs.
Nutmeg	½ oz.
Shredded red sandalwood	1 dram

Place all these in a bain marie and allow the mixture to simmer, but not boil, for a half-hour. Cool, and strain through silk or cheesecloth. It is well to use this lotion after giving the face a bath of cream or of warm water. It is an excellent preparation for an evening toilet, but is too strong to leave on the skin over night.

This also is agreeable:

Rosewater	1 qt.
Tincture of opoponax	20 grams
Tincture of benzoin	20 grams
Tincture of myrrh	20 grams
Essence of lemon	8 grams

In one of the little boxes I keep also these pastilles to freshen the mouth that has grown feverish:

Pulverized licorice	7 drams
Vanilla sugar	3 drams
Gum Arabic	5 drams

This, if there be a tendency to sores in the membranes of the mouth, will allay them and purify the mouth:

Oxide of zinc	60 grains
Spermaceti ointment	1 oz.
Attar of rose	2 drops

A powder box or jar should always be kept tightly closed to keep out intruding dust that might easily slip beneath a carelessly placed lid. This powder, recommended by the famous Dr. Vaucaire, is admirable:

Rice flour	3 ozs.
Rice starch	3 ozs.
Carbonate of magnesia	1½ ozs.
Powdered boric acid	¼ oz.
Orris root	½ oz.
Essence of bergamot	15 drops
Essence of citron	8 drops

No toilet table is complete without a nasal atomizer to be used night and morning, if you desire, but certainly whenever a cold approaches or is in progress. This should be filled with strong salt water or borax water in the proportions of:

Water	2 ozs.
Borax	½ oz.

Some of the menthol preparations for sale at drug stores are healing and toning to relaxed membranes.

The dressing stool should have a short back, say a foot higher than the seat, or none at all. A back reaching to the shoulders would hinder freedom of movement, especially in dressing.

For my Philadelphia correspondent, who writes asking which of two formulae I prefer, I answer that I am skeptical about them both. I should recommend massaging the scalp every day, or if that be found to irritate the scalp, as it may a very tender scalp, then every other day, rubbing well into the roots a good almond oil. Singe or clip the ends of the hair at least once a month. Let your hair hang whenever you can, for that strengthens the roots and gives the hair needed ventilation.

"How should the hair be worn at night," she asks, "loose or plaited?"

Braid loosely and tie the ends with a soft, narrow ribbon; never with a thread, which cuts the ends.

"My Dear Madame Cavalieri—Won't you please tell me what I can do to make my complexion white?" writes a girl in despondent mood. "I am a blonde and should be fair, but I have a nasty yellow skin. It is only my neck and face that are yellow. The rest of my body is white."

Give your face and neck the buttermilk treatment for two weeks. Wash them thoroughly every night in the buttermilk. Let it remain on for a half hour to an hour, freshening with more buttermilk when it grows dry. Then wash off with rain or, better, rose water, before retiring. If this fails, try equal parts of lemon juice and rose water, softened with a few drops of almond oil. Peroxide of hydrogen used in the proportions of twenty drops to a quart of warm water, also bleaches the skin. If none of these is effective you would do well to look to your liver. Better consult a physician for obstinate sallowness.

Mme. Cavalieri at Her Own Toilet Table—Posed Especially for This Magazine.

"No toilet table is complete without a nasal atomizer to be used night and morning or whenever a cold approaches."

"Apply pumice stone by dipping an orange wood stick into it and rubbing it gently over the stained surface."

"I keep a strong toilet vinegar to inhale, or to sprinkle about my neck when I am fatigued."

Where the Factory Worker Lives Well.

IN St. Gall, Switzerland, where most of our imported embroidery comes from, they don't know what a strike is, although factory workers comprise the major part of the population.

The contentment of the working people is due to the excellent conditions under which they live. The employers do everything possible to make the lives of the operatives as pleasant as possible, and the result is mutually advantageous.

One large American firm, engaged extensively in the manufacture of embroideries, has been particularly successful in creating this feeling of contentment among its employes, and as its methods are typical of those employed by other Swiss manufacturers, a description of their plan will suffice to explain the working of the system prevailing throughout the country.

The plan adopted gives the factory operatives not only comfortable homes at the minimum cost, but an opportunity of enjoying outdoor life and of indulging in the natural and healthful occupation of cultivating the soil.

The embroidery industry of St. Gall presents peculiar advantages for carrying out comprehensive plans for ameliorating the condition of the working classes. The factories are scattered throughout the surrounding country, while in the city are only located the counting houses and the warerooms, where orders are received, the raw materials prepared, and the finished products sent out. This arrangement also has the advantage of saving St. Gall from the grime and smoke usually such unpleasant features of manufacturing towns. As an indication of the extent of manufacturing, it may be mentioned that the city's annual trade in the embroidery line amounts to more than $20,000,000, about one-eighth of the total export trade of Switzerland.

At the Klauber factories, at Weinfelden, about eighteen miles from St. Gall, a number of modern dwelling houses were erected in 1903. These houses, well and tastefully built, each with six rooms, concreted cellar, and modern conveniences, cost the firm $1,737 each. The tenants, who are all heads of families, pay but 300 francs ($57.90) per annum rent, in equal monthly payments of 25 francs (about $4.83), which amount represents a trifle over 3 per cent on the investment not taking into account the cost of keeping the property in good repair.

These houses, built along a broad, well-paved avenue, have front, side and rear gardens. Ample playgrounds are provided for children and there are plenty of shade and fruit trees. Tenants seldom leave. In fact, so well satisfied are they with their surroundings, that even offers of higher wages elsewhere fail to tempt them to take other employment. It was a pleasure to visit these homes and to observe their cleanliness, their neatness, and the atmosphere of contentment that pervades them.

At the same factories a large and handsome building, erected four years ago, accommodates over 100 female operatives, all Italians. Throughout the greater part of Switzerland Italian labor is in demand, especially in the embroidery factories, where large numbers of women are employed. The Klauber community house, arranged something on the plan of young ladies' seminaries in the United States, is admirably managed by the members of a religious community. The dormitories, large, well lighted and ventilated, are neatly and tastefully furnished, with numerous bathrooms connecting.

There is an assembly room for dancing and innocent games, furnished with a piano and an organ. There are likewise ample grounds for outdoor games and recreation. An extensive garden and orchard furnish all the vegetables and fruits consumed in the house. The reception room, the storeroom, the pantry, wash room and kitchen are almost equal to those of the modern hotel.

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Since the establishment of this community home the Klauber firm has experienced no difficulty with its Italian women employes, who seem to be well satisfied and contented with their lot.

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YAMYOL~ A Village Sketch By Henryk Sienkiewicz

Author of "Quo Vadis."

IN the little town of Lupiskory, after the funeral of widow Kaliksta, there were vespers, and after vespers old women, between ten and twenty in number, remained in the church to finish the hymn. It was 4 o'clock in the afternoon; but, since twilight comes in Winter about that hour, it was dark in the church. The great altar, especially, was sunk in deep shade. Only two candles were burning at the ciborium; their flickering flames barely lighted a little the gilding of the doors, and the feet of Christ, hanging on a cross higher up. Those feet were pierced with an enormous nail, and the head of that nail seemed a great point gleaming on the altar.

From other candles, just quenched, streaks of smoke were waving, filling the places behind the stalls with a purely church odor of wax.

An old man and a small boy were busied before the steps of the altar. One was sweeping; the other was stretching the carpet on the steps. At moments, when the women ceased their singing, either the angry whisper of the old man was heard scolding the boy, or the hammering on the snow-covered windows of sparrows that were cold and hungry outside.

The women were sitting on benches nearer the door. It would have been still darker had it not been for a few tallow candles, by the light of which those who had prayer-books were reading. One of those candles lighted well enough a banner fastened to the seat just beyond; the banner represented sinners surrounded by devils and flames. It was impossible to see what was painted on the other banners.

The women were not singing; they were, rather, muttering with sleepy and tired voices a hymn in which these words were repeated continually—

"And when the hour of death comes,
Gain for us, gain from Thy Son."

That church buried in shadow, the banners standing at the seats, the old women with their yellow faces, the lights flickering as if oppressed by the gloom—all that was dismal beyond expression; nay, it was simply terrible. The mournful words of the song about death found there a fitting background.

After a time the singing stopped. One of the women stood up at the seat, and began to say, with a trembling voice, "Hail, Mary, full of grace!" And others responded, "The Lord is with Thee," etc.; but since it was the day of Kaliksta's funeral, each "Hail, Mary," concluded with the words, "Lord, grant her eternal rest, and may endless light shine on her."

Marysia, the dead woman's daughter, was sitting on a bench at the side of one of the old women. Just then the snow, soft and noiseless, was falling on the fresh grave of her mother; but the little girl was not ten years old yet, and seemed not to understand either her loss, or the pity which it might rouse in another. Her face, with large blue eyes, had in it the calmness of childhood, and even a certain careless repose. A little curiosity was evident—nothing beyond that. Opening her mouth, she looked with great attention at the banner on which was painted hell with sinners; then she looked into the depth of the church, and afterward on the window at which the sparrows were hammering.

Her eyes remained without thought. Meanwhile, the women began to mutter, sleepily, for the tenth time—

"And when the hour of death comes."

The little girl twisted the tresses of her light-colored hair, woven into two tiny braids not thicker than mice tails. She seemed tired; but now the old man occupied her attention. He went to the middle of the church, and began to pull a knotty rope hanging from the ceiling. He was ringing for the soul of Kaliksta, but he did this in a purely mechanical manner; he was thinking, evidently, of something else.

That ringing was also a sign that vespers were ended. The women, after repeating for the last time the prayer for a happy death, went out on the square. One of them led Marysia by the hand.

"But, Kulik," asked another, "what will you do with the girl?"

"What will I do? She will go to Leschyntsi. Voytek Margula will take her. But why do you ask me?"

"What will she do in Leschyntsi?"

"My dears, the same as here. Let her go to where she came from. Even at the mansion they will take in the orphan, and let her sleep in the kitchen."

Thus conversing, they passed through the square to the inn. Darkness was increasing every moment. It was wintry, calm; the sky was covered with clouds, the air filled with moisture and wet snow. Water was dropping from the roofs; on the square lay slush formed of snow and straw. The village, with wretched and tattered houses, looked as gloomy as the church. A few windows were gleaming with light; movement had ceased, but in the inn an organ was playing.

It was playing to entice, for there was no one inside. The women entered, drank vodka; Kulik gave Marysia half a glass, saying:

"Drink! Thou art an orphan; thou wilt not meet kindness."

The word "ohphan" brought the death of Kaliksta to the minds of the women. One of them said:

"To you, Kulik, drink. Oh, my dears, how that paralus (paralysis) took her so that she couldn't stir. She was cold before the priest came to hear her confession."

"I told her long ago," said Kulik, "that she was spinning fine (near her end). Last week she came to me. Said I, 'Ah, better give Marysia to the mansion.' But she said, 'I have one little daughter, and I'll not give her to any one.' But she grew sorry, and began to sob, and then she went to the Mayor to put her papers in order. She paid four zloty and six groshes. 'But I do not begrudge it for my child,' said she. My dears, but her eyes were staring, and after death they were staring still more. People wanted to close them, but could not. They say that after death, even, she was looking at her child."

"Let us drink half a quarter over this sorrow."

The organ was playing continually. The women began to be somewhat tender. Kulik repeated, with a voice of compassion, "Poor little thing! poor little thing!" and the second old woman called to mind the death of her late husband.

"When he was dying," said she, "he sighed so, oh, he sighed so, he sighed so!—" and drawling still more, her voice passed into a chant, from a chant into the tone of the organ, till at last she bent to one side, and in following the organ began to sing—

"He sighed, he sighed, he sighed,
On that day he sighed."

All at once she fell to shedding hot tears, gave the organist six groshes, and drank some more vodka. Kulik, too, was excited by tenderness, but she turned it on Marysia—

"Remember, little orphan," said she, "what the priest said when they were covering thy mother with snow, that there is a yamyol (an angel) above thee"— Here she stopped, looked around as if astonished, and then added, with unusual energy, "When I say that there is a yamyol, there is a yamyol!"

No one contradicted her. Marysia, blinking with her poor, simple eyes, looked attentively at the woman. Kulik spoke on—

"Thou art a little orphan, that is bad for thee! Over orphans there is a yamyol. He is good. Here are ten groshes for thee. Even if thou wert to start on foot to Leschyntsi, thou couldst go there, for he would guide thee."

The second old woman began to sing:

"In the shade of His wings He will keep thee eternally,
Under His pinions thou wilt be without danger."

"Be quiet," said Kulik. And then she turned again to the child—

"Knowest thou, stupid, who is above thee?"

"A yamyol," said, with a thin voice, the little girl.

"Oh, thou little orphan, thou precious berry, thou little worm of the Lord! A yamyol with wings," said she, with perfect tenderness, and seizing the child she pressed her to her honest, though tipsy, bosom.

Marysia burst into weeping at once. Perhaps in her dark little head and in her heart, which knew not yet how to distinguish, there was roused some sort of perception at that moment.

The innkeeper was sleeping most soundly behind the counter; on the candle-wicks mushrooms had grown; the man at the organ ceased to play, for what he saw amused him.

Then there was silence, which was broken by the sudden plashing of horses' feet before the door, and a voice calling to the horses—

"Prrr!"

Voytek Margula walked into the inn with a lighted lantern in his hand. He put down the lantern, began to slap his arms to warm them, and at last said to the innkeeper:

"Give half a quarter."

"Margula, thou chestnut," cried Kulik, "thou wilt take the little girl to Leschyntsi."

"I'll take her, for they told me to take her," replied Margula.

Then looking closely to the two women he added:

"But ye are as drunk as"——

"May the plague choke thee," retorted Kulik. "When I tell thee to be careful with the child, be careful. She is an orphan. Knowest thou, fool, who is above her?"

Voytek did not see fit to answer that question, but determined evidently to raise another subject, and began:

"To all of you"——

But he didn't finish, for he drank the vodka, made a wry face, and putting down the glass with dissatisfaction, said:

"That's pure water. Give me a second from another bottle."

The innkeeper poured from another. Margula twisted his face still more:

"Al! haven't you arrack?"

Evidently the same danger threatened Margula that threatened the women; but at that very time, in the mansion at Lupiskory, the landowner was preparing for one of the journals a long and exhaustive article, "On the right of landowners to sell liquor, this right being considered as the basis of society." But Voytek co-operated only involuntarily to strengthen the basis of society, and that all the more because the sale here, though in a village, was really by the landowner.

When he had co-operated five times in succession he forgot, it is true, his lantern, in which the light had gone out, but he took the half-sleeping little girl by the hand, and said:

"But come on, thou nightmare!"

The women had fallen asleep in a corner, no one bade farefell to Marysia. The whole story was this: Her mother was in the graveyard and she was going to Leschyntsi.

Voytek and the girl went out, sat in the sleigh. Voytek cried to the horses, and they moved on. At first the sleigh dragged heavily enough through the slush of the town, but they came out very soon to fields which were broad and white. Movement was easy then; the snow barely made a noise under the sleigh-runners. The horses snorted at times, at times came the barking of dogs from a distance.

They went on and on. Voytek urged the horses, and sang through his nose, "Dog ear, remember thy promise." But soon he grew silent, and began to "carry Jews" (nod). He nodded to the right, to the left. He dreamt that they were pounding him on the shoulders in Leschyntsi, because he had lost a basket of letters; so, from time to time, he was half awake, and repeated, "To all!" Marysia did not sleep, for she was cold. She looked with widely opened eyes on the white fields, hidden from moment to moment by the dark shoulders of Margula. She thought also that her "mother was dead;" and thinking thus, she pictured to herself perfectly the pale and thin face of her mother with its staring eyes—and she felt half consciously that that face was greatly beloved, that it was no longer in the world, and would never be in Leschyntsi again. She had seen with her own eyes how they covered it up in Lupiskory. Remembering this, she would have cried from grief; but as her knees and feet were chilled, she began to cry from cold.

There was no frost, it is true, but the air was penetrating, as is usual during thaws. As to Voytek he had, at least in his stomach, a good supply of heat taken from the inn. The landowner at Lupiskory remarked justly: "That vodka warms in Winter, and since it is the only consolation of our peasants, to deprive landowners of the sole power of consoling peasants is to deprive them of influence over the populace." Voytek was so consoled at that moment that nothing could trouble him.

Even this did not trouble him, that the horses when they came to the forest slackened their pace altogether, though the road there was better, and then walking to one side, the beasts turned over the sleigh into a ditch. He woke, it is true, but did not understand well what had happened.

Marysia begun to push him.

"Voytek!"

"Why art thou croaking?"

"The sleigh is turned over."

"A glass?" asked Voytek, and went to sleep for good.

The little girl sat by the sleigh, crouching down as best she could, and remained there. But her face was soon chilled, so she began to push the sleeping man again.

"Voytek!"

He gave no answer.

"Voytek, I want to go to the house."

And, after a while, again, "Voytek, I'll walk there."

At last she started. It seemed to her that Leschyntsi was very near. She knew the road, too, for she had walked to church over it every Sunday with her mother. But now she had to go alone. In spite of the thaw the snow in the forest was deep, but the night was very clear. To the gleam from the snow was added light from the clouds, so that the road could be seen as in the daytime. Marysia, turning her eyes to the dark forest, could see tree trunks very far away outlined distinctly, black, motionless, on the white ground; and she saw clearly also snow drifts blown to the whole height of them. In the forest there was a certain immense calm, which gave solace to the child. On the branches was thick, frozen snow, and from it drops of water were trickling, striking with faint sound against the branches and twigs. But that was the only noise. All else around was still, white, silent, dumb.

The wind was not blowing. The snowy branches were not stirring with the slightest movement. Everything was sleeping in the trance of Winter. It might seem that the snowy covering on the earth, and the whole silent and shrouded forest, with the pale clouds in the heavens were all a kind of white, lifeless unity. So it is in time of thaw. Marysia was the only living thing, moving like a little black speck amid these silent greatnesses. Kind, honest forest! Those drops, which the thawing ice let down, were tears, perhaps, over the orphan. The trees are so large, but also so compassionate, above the little creature. See, she is alone, so weak and poor, in the snow, in the night, in the forest, wading along trustfully, as if there is no danger.

The clear night seems to care for her. When something so weak and helpless yields itself, trusts so perfectly in enormous power, there is a certain sweetness in the act. In that way all may be left to the will of God. The girl walked rather long, and was wearied at last. The heavy boots, which were too large, hindered her; her small feet were going up and down in them continually. It was hard to drag out such big boots from the snow. Besides, she could not move her hands freely, for in one of them, closed rigidly, she held with all her strength those ten groshes which Kulik had given her. She feared to drop them in the snow. She began at times to cry aloud, and then she stopped suddenly, as if wishing to know if some one had heard her. Yes, the forest had heard her! The thawing ice sounded monotonously and somewhat sadly. Besides, maybe some one else had heard her. The child went more and more slowly. Could she go astray? How? The road, like a white, broad, winding ribbon, stretches into the distance, lies well marked between two walls of dark trees. An unconquerable drowsiness seized the little girl.

She stepped aside and sat down under a tree. The lids dropped over her eyes. After a time she thought that her mother was coming to her along the white road from the graveyard. No one was coming. Still, the child felt certain that some one must come. Who? A yamyol. Hadn't old Kulik told her that a yamyol was above her? Marysia knew what a yamyol is. In her mother's cottage there was one painted with a shield in his hand and with wings. He would come, surely. Somehow the ice began to sound more loudly. Maybe that is the noise of his wings, scattering drops more abundantly. Stop! Some one is coming really; the snow, though soft, sounds clearly; steps are coming, and coming, quietly but quickly. The child raises her sleepy eyelids with confidence.

"What is that?"

Looking at the little girl intently is a gray three-cornered face with ears, standing upright—ugly, terrible!

JCBULL

"A yamyol. Hadn't old Kulik told her that yamyol was above her?"

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WHO KILLED PROFESSOR GREER?

THE MYSTERY OF THE RED ROOM---By William Le Queux.

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(CONTINUED FROM LAST SUNDAY.)

SYNOPSIS OF PRECEDING CHAPTERS.

MUCH mystery surrounds Kershaw Kirk, who lives modestly in Bath Road, Bedford Park, London—in the mind of Holford, motor engineer and dealer in motor cars, who lives with his wife a few doors distant. Elsewhere in London they have seen this shabby person dressed in the height of fashion, in company with notable persons. The story opens with Kirk visiting Holford at his motor shop on a mysterious errand about a new tire. At his request, Holford visits him. Kirk describes himself as a "dealer in secrets," who will be suspected of a secret murder which must be kept from the police. Although he is one of the persons in England who "cannot be arrested," he needs a friend who is honest and a gentleman. He has picked out Holford, who promises friendship and silence. The assassin's victim is the celebrated Professor Greer, who Kirk says, had filched from him a valuable secret. Hence the suspicion that may rest on Kirk. Although Professor Greer has been murdered, yet, on the night of the murder, committed in his laboratory, adjoining an apartment called "The Red Room," he suddenly left the house, telling his daughter, Ethelwyn, that he has been called to Edinburgh.

Holford goes to Edinburgh, determined to trace dead Professor Greer's impersonator, but fails. He returns to London to find that his wife has been lured away on a forged telegram from Turin, Italy. He follows with his wife's sister, Gwen, and in Florence discovers that his wife has been there with an elderly man, whom Holford believes to be Kirk. They have departed for Rome. Holford hastens on to Rome, more than ever convinced that his wife has been abducted by Kirk. He does not find her but meets Antonio Merli, Professor Greer's servant. The man pretends ignorance, but makes dark threats when Holford proposes to go to the Italian police. Holford decides to return to England and implore the aid of Ethelwynn. He sees the professor's daughter, and is nonplussed to discover that she believes her father to be still alive. He suspects her of collusion with the impostor. Holford telegraphs to Professor Greer at Strassburg in Kirk's name, and receives a reply signed "Greer" warning him to keep away from Broadstairs. He resolves to go to Strassburg, but meets Dr. Hamilton Flynn in Langton's rooms, who declares that his patient has gone to Hungary. Neither offers to help Holford find his wife. He concludes that both himself and Langton are being deceived by Dr. Flynn.

Holford learns that his wife knew Professor Greer before their marriage. He decides to watch Dr. Flynn. Thus he witnesses Kirk's arrival from the Continent, follows him to apartments where he lives as "Mr. Seymour," and threatens him with exposure. Holford attacks Kirk, but the latter remains imperturbable, denying all part in the disappearance of Mr. Holford. Holford declares he will reveal the whole affair to the police. He tells his story at Scotland Yard, and is asked to call again for the Commissioner's decision. When he gets it he realizes that the police will do nothing, for some mysterious reason. Holford has Kirk followed by Drake, his chauffeur, who trails him to Shortlands, but is "spotted."

CHAPTER XXV.

In Which a Plot Fails.

"HM, that's unfortunate," I said. "You were a bit too bold, I fear."

Of course I had told him nothing of the reason why I was watching the man who had evinced such interest in the Eckhardt tire.

"I exercised all the caution possible," Drake declared, "but he doubled back upon me down at Shortlands and thus tricked me. He didn't say anything, but only laughed in my face."

The story of the foreigner at the villa at Shortlands struck me as somewhat remarkable, and I resolved to go there on the morrow and investigate. I now held all Kershaw Kirk's movements in suspicion, while all his friends I regarded as enemies.

Next day I rose with the fixed intention of going at once down to Shortlands, that district of suburban villadom, but hardly had I risen from the table where I had breakfasted in silence with Gwen, when something occurred to turn the tide of events into an entirely different channel.

Indeed, by that sudden and unexpected occurrence I knew that I had at last advanced one step toward the knowledge of who killed Professor Greer behind those locked doors in Sussex place.

What actually occurred was this:

I had risen from the table, when Annie entered with a telegram which, on opening, I found to be an urgent message from Langton, at Broadstairs, begging me to go there at once, as he had some important information to communicate to me.

From the time-table I found that a fast train left Victoria in an hour, and, full of excitement, I bade good-bye to Gwen, promising to wire her the result of the interview.

Soon after noon I strode down the steep street of the quiet little watering-place so beloved by Dickens. On that February day it was very chill, and very deserted, but gaining the Parade I crossed the footbridge, and, continuing past the Grand Hotel, went along the top of the cliffs beyond the town, to where stood the late Professor's seaside red-brick home.

In the small but pretty drawing-room I was greeted by Ethelwynn and her lover, who were standing talking near the fire as I entered.

The girl looked delightfully sweet in a pale blue blouse and dark brown skirt, her splendid hair dressed in a style that suited her admirably, while he on his part presented the appearance of the typical clean-limbed, well-bred Englishman. They were, indeed, a handsome pair.

"It's very good of you, Mr. Holford, to come down so quickly!" the girl exclaimed as she took my hand. "Leonard wants to have a serious chat with you."

And yet this was the girl who was privy to her father's tragic end. Was it possible that her lover also knew the truth?

Langton invited me to a chair, and commenced by haltingly apologizing for bringing me down from London.

"We, however, considered it necessary," he went on; "necessary in the interests of us all that there should exist a clear and perfect understanding between us."

"In what manner?" I asked the girl's lover.

"Well," he said, "it has come to our knowledge that you have been relating a most extraordinary story regarding Ethelwynn's father. You declare that he died under suspicious circumstances."

"Whatever I've said is the truth—the plain and absolute truth," I declared openly. "Mr. Kirk introduced me into the house in Sussex place, where I saw the poor Professor lying dead in his laboratory."

"Ah!" cried the girl quickly, her manner suddenly changing. "Then you are a friend of Kirk's—not of my father?"

"That is so," I admitted. "And in Kirk's company I saw your father lying dead through violence."

"And you've dared to put forward this story as an absolute fact!" Langton cried. "Do you happen to know who Kershaw Kirk really is?"

"No; I'd very much like to know," I said, full of anxiety. "Who is he?"

"If you knew you would, I think, have hesitated before you went to the police with such a fairy tale as yours."

"It is no fairy tale, Mr. Langton!" I declared very earnestly; "I have with my own eyes seen the Professor lying dead."

"But you forget that my father went to Edinburgh on that night, and wired me from there next day," the girl pointed out, fixing her splendid eyes on mine with unwavering gaze.

"I forgot no point of the remarkable affair, Miss Ethelwynn," I said quietly. "As a matter of fact, I followed the man believed to be your father to Scotland."

"You—you followed him?" gasped Langton, while the girl's cheeks grew paler. "Did you see him? Did you speak with him?"

"No. But I discovered some rather interesting facts which, when the time arrives, I intend to put forward as proof of a very remarkable subterfuge."

The pair exchanged meaning glances in silence. The girl was seated in an armchair opposite to me, near the fire, while Langton stood upon the hearthrug with his hands thrust carelessly into his pockets.

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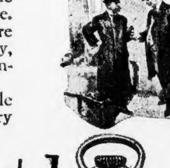

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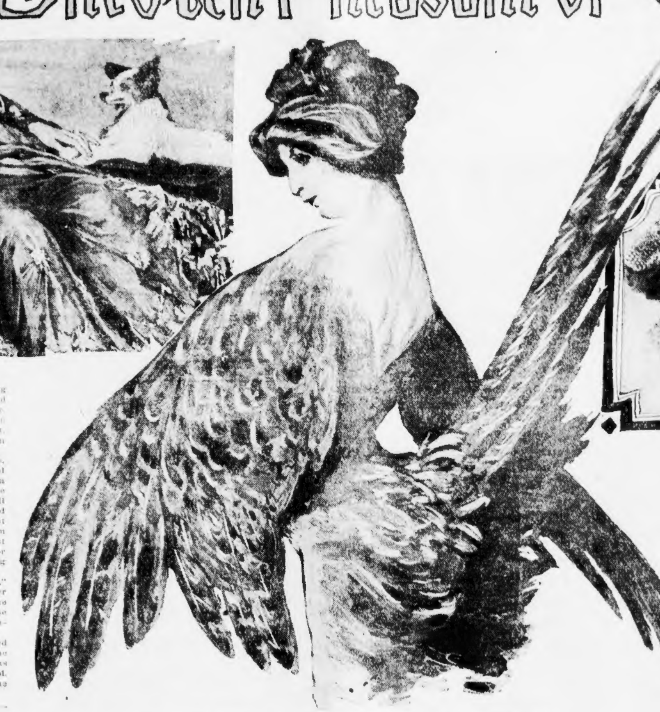
The Hen Pheasant of "Chantecler."

How Mme. Simone, Next to Bernhardt the Greatest of French Actresses, Delayed the Production of the Play by Wrangling With the Author Over Details of Her Bird-Heroine Part.

Mme. Simone Le Bargy—from an Oil Portrait.



How Mme. Simone Will Look as the Bird Heroine of Rostand's Play.

Mme. Simone from a Recent Photograph.

Paris, Jan. 21.

THE announcement still stands fixing to-morrow evening, January 27, for the first performance of "Chantecler," Rostand's drama, the production of which has been so long delayed—so many times announced and postponed—in which Mme. Simone, probably the greatest actress in France, barring none save Bernhardt, will appear in the role of the hen pheasant heroine.

Owing to the many postponements, however, not even those who have paid as high as $20 each for orchestra stalls for the first night will believe that the great event is at hand until they are admitted to their seats and actually see the curtain rising. Past experience warrants the anticipation that Rostand may again, at the last moment, be seized by a new idea, or have another quarrel with his leading actors.

In all the gossip about "Chantecler," in which all the characters are either barnyard fowls, birds or animals, the name of Mme. Simone, among those of the actors, is most frequently mentioned.

This beautiful and distinguished actress, as the hen pheasant heroine of the play, appears to be regarded as of even more importance than M. Guitry, Coquelin's successor to the title role of the rooster.

There are two reasons for this—Mme. Simone herself, and her perpetual misunderstandings with the author of "Chantecler" during the many months while the piece was in rehearsal.

More than a hint of Mme. Simone's state of mind during preparations for the production of Rostrand's chef d'ouvre is given in the photographs herewith. She had to harmonize her reputation as a great actress and a beautiful woman with hen pheasant make-up and action that would satisfy the most exacting of French dramatists.

The story is now almost a classic of how Mme. Simone held back the production for weeks trying to get the dramatist to modify his order that "the hen pheasant must lay an egg on the stage in full view of the audience. The news, finally, that Rostand stood fast by the text of his stage directions delighted the Parisians, as may be imagined.

The lofty positions occupied by both the author and the actress lend peculiar piquancy to such tidbits that leak through the doubly barred stage door of the Porte St. Martin Theatre. Bernhardt in a like situation would not be nearly so interesting. In the first place, nothing that the erratic tragedienne has done in the last ten years has had power longer to excite a public so familiar with her earlier escapades. But Mme. Simone, in spite of her elopement with the son of ex-President Casimir Perier, conveys the impression of dignity that is almost aristocratic.

A dozen years ago she was one of a score of talented French society girls who took lessons in elocution from Le Bargy, the young and fascinating, most popular juvenile actor in the Comedie Francaise. She had plenty of opportunities to marry well in a worldly sense, for she had a big dower from her rich father, but she fell in love with Le Bargy, her teacher, and he with her, and would marry no other.

It was not long after this marriage that Mme. Simone Le Bargy threatened to outshine her husband in his own profession. Her debut in Berstein's play, "Le Detour," was so successful that her professional future was at once assured. Moreover, she endeared herself to great critics, to members of the French Academy and to the most cultured class of Paris theatregoers by making her art chasten her temperament, whereas her husband, Mounet-Sully, Bernhardt and other famous personages on the French stage allowed themselves sometimes to rant. Mme. Le Bargy maintained always the classical ideal of pure art above all.

Naturally Rostand, the best literary artist, as well as the most accomplished dramatist of the French stage, saw in Mme. Le Bargy the one actress worthy to be entrusted with the role of the heroine of the epoch-making play he was then at work upon, and which occupied him entirely for six years thereafter—"Chantecler."

In the meantime the Le Bargys were in domestic difficulties. Mme. Le Bargy's successes had made herself and her husband professional rivals. He was so jealous of her vogue, in fact, that, after their separation, he used every effort in the courts to prevent her from using his name in a professional way. Although he did not succeed in this, the lady chose before long to bury her Le Bargy past and stand on her own achievements as Mme. Simone.

Her only flagrant departure from social conventions was her love affair with young Perier, which culminated in their elopement to London and marriage soon after. His failure to break off this affair is said to have broken the heart of Casimir Perier, who died not long before the elopement occurred.

This episode seemed to have no effect on Mme. Simone's career. She was already studying fragments of her part of the Hen Pheasant in "Chantecler," and already urging—quite vainly—moderation in the poet's realistic ideals, especially respecting costumes and "make-up."

The one fact above all others which has "boomed the stock" of "Chantecler" harder and harder through these years of preparation, quarrels with actors and postponements of the first performance, has been Rostand's determination to permit nothing to limit or obscure the reality of his barn-yard scene, and his barn-yard community.

As the characters in "Chantecler" are mainly fowls, the more distinguished actors in the cast have been spared the task of learning to go about on all fours. But it has been necessary for Guitry, as the rooster, to put himself inside a paper-mache-and-feather "Chantecler" and to learn to strut about and carry himself generally like the barn-yard autocrat.

Another actor, cast for a blackbird, was compelled by Rostand to hop exactly like that bird—and so on throughout the cast.

All of which lends the most extraordinary interest to the opening night, to-morrow—perhaps!

Rostand has been able to keep profoundly secret the denouement of his play. All that is known of the fourth act is gathered from the statement of members of the cast that it is "superb."

The scene of the first act is a farmyard, and Chantecler makes his first appearance upon a gigantic dunghill.

In the third act, played in an orchard, there are currant bushes like oak trees, melons on which a family might live for a month, a pail large enough for a swimming bath, and a watering pot which M. Galipaux, who plays the blackbird, wishes to use for a summerhouse after the run of the play!

There is a cockfight between Chantecler and "An American Cock," played by an Australian, Mr. Aurelius Sidney. The plot of the first three acts is, briefly:

Act I.—Barnyard. Chantecler in his harem. Hen pheasant, wounded, enters, and flies to him for protection. He woos her, declaring sun only rises when he crows the signal.

Act. II.—Woodland. Cock elopes with pheasant. Owl spies and hatches plot with other birds.

Act III.—Orchard. Cock oversleeps himself, and fails to crow. Farmyard ridicules him.

The play will be produced in the Spring both in London and New York, $40,000 having been given for the English and American rights.

The Chief Weapon Against Consumption

By PHIL D. JACOBS,

Assistant Secretary National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

SOME one has said that the American people will always act on a social evil, if they are once informed concerning the need for action. It was faith in this idea that led to the formation of the National Association for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis nearly six years ago, a faith which was based upon the hope that if the people of the United States once realized that consumption was a dangerous disease, that it was communicable, but still curable and preventable, they would rise up and declare that such a needless drain on our vitality must stop.

Six years ago there were less than twenty-five organizations whose object it was to teach the people that tuberculosis could be cured and prevented. To-day there are more than 350 such bodies, with an actual membership of nearly 60,000, and with millions of contributors.

Six years ago about one person in every 200 heard in a year's time that there was hope for the consumptive. The great majority of people believed that to contract consumption was equivalent to ordering one's coffin, and that one might as well try to preven the wind from blowing as to check the ravages of tuberculosis.

What a change to-day! Last year alone one person in every twenty in the United States attended a meeting at which he learned that consumption could be cured and that it could be prevented.

Of course, not everyone of the four million who heard these simple truths about tuberculosis profited by them, nor have ten million pieces of literature distributed in the year brought about a millenium. It takes time to educate people about the prevention of a disease like tuberculosis.

The spread of consumption is caused almost entirely by the spittle of diseased persons. The breaking of a habit so personal as spitting demands constant and repeated emphasis, and education over a long period. And yet the efforts exerted in the last six years have not been without results.

Hundreds of municipalities and many States, which never before paid any attention to the matter, are to-day legislating against public spitting. Millions of men and women, who did not give any thought to the consumptive a few years ago, are to-day aiding in every way to prevent the disease.

The result has been a rapid fall in the tubercular death rate, which means a saving of thousands of lives annually. In New York City alone the fall in the death rate from 242 per 100,000 in 1900 to 210 in 1907 means an annual saving of nearly 1,400 lives.

This fall is not due entirely and directly to the education people have received from the vigorous campaign now being carried on, but the institutional segregation of patients, which has been a great factor in the decline of the death rate, is the direct result of an educated demand for more tuberculosis hospitals.

What are some of the ways in which this educational campaign has been carried on? Probably one of the most effective methods has been the broadcast distribution of literature showing the dangers of tuberculosis and how to prevent it.

"Consumption can be cured and can be prevented," has become almost an axiom in the ordinary American household, and the double red cross, the symbol of the international war against tuberculosis, is familiar to every one through the literature that has been distributed. Then there are the public meetings, where over 6,000 addresses a year on tuberculosis are given.

The newspapers are giving more and more space to the story of the "white death." About a year ago 50,000 column inches, or nearly a half mile, of publicity a week was given to the subject of tuberculosis by the press. To-day the total would be much larger.

The billboards tell the messsage of prevention and hope, while the pulpits preach the gospel of health. Exhibits, showing by charts and models how consumption may be stopped, are teaching millions each year. The schools, by text-books, wall cards, lectures and exhibits, are educating the children into better ways of health.

In short, the nation is learning, on the street, in the factory and workshop, at the religious or fraternal meeting, in all sorts of places and ways, that consumption is a deadly disease which must be stopped, and that our needless and wasteful sacrifice of 200,000 lives a year can be prevented.

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